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NEWS SUMMARY

PRINCE HENRY.

Prince Henry placed a wreath on the statue of Abraham Lincoln at Chicago yesterday morning.—Page 2.

Emperor William was pleased with the message he received from Miss Alice Roosevelt on the launching of the Meteor.—Page 2.

At noon he was entertained at luncheon at the Germania club, where the German language was used, and a vase presented to the guest for the Princess Irene.—Page 1.

In the evening Prince Henry spent six hours in Milwaukee, was driven through the public streets, tendered a public reception at the Exposition building and a dinner at the Hotel Pfister. At 10 o'clock the prince left for Niagara Falls and the east.—Page 1.

DOMESTIC.

Miss Alice Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to visit Gov.-Gen. and Mrs. Wood at Havana.—Page 1.

A mob in Norfolk, Va., excited by the street car strike, has defied the police and the militia and martial law may have to be proclaimed to restore quiet.—Page 1.

The town of Hot Springs, N. C., is still without aid, the roads having been washed out by the flood. G. W. Vanderbilt's favorite horses drowned. New flood and washout in Nebraska.—Page 3.

The New York state legislature held a memorial service in honor of President McKinley in the capitol at Albany last night. Charles Emory Smith delivered a eulogy, rehearsing the life work of the late chief magistrate.—Page 12.

Percival Roberts, Jr., the representative of the American Bridge Company on the executive committee of the United States Steel Corporation, resigned his position yesterday because he takes exception to the avowed policy of Charles M. Schwab.—Page 1.

Previous to enlisting in the Philippine service Lenrue Meeking of New Jersey took his fiancee, Miss Laura Morganson, to a justice of the peace, before whom they signed agreements pledging faith to each other for three years and six months.—Page 2.

FOREIGN.

Rebels threaten an internal war in China.—Page 3.

Spanish strikers are shot for participating in riots.—Page 3.

Japan is wild with joy over the British alliance, and is planning naval celebrations.—Page 4.

European diamond merchants have become defaulters because of heavy losses in the trade.—Page 3.

LOCAL.

John W. Brophy, scorned by his sweetheart, commits suicide after carefully crawling under the bedclothes.—Page 1.

Charles T. Schoen announces that he will build 10 plants for the manufacture of his new rolled steel car wheels.—Page 1.

Allegheny bureau of health makes trouble for a widow and her boarding house and shifts smallpox signs suddenly.—Page 2.

The plan and scope committee of the Carnegie technical school comes around to the contention of William McConway that a 60-acre site is needed.—Page 5.

Attorney-General John P. Elkin is in Pittsburgh and will strive to enlist the sympathies of the women by speaking before a Sewickley club this afternoon.—Page 1.

Organization of Rankin council attended by wild disorder when the Democratic members discovered their confidence in President Christopher Fisher had been misplaced.—Page 2.

Board of fire underwriters of Allegheny county find it necessary to advance rates on mercantile stocks 25 per cent in order to keep companies from withdrawing from this section.—Page 5.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The state has a balance of more than $7,000,000 in banks.—Page 4.

A scarlet fever epidemic prevails in the Monongahela valley.—Page 4.

A Slav afflicted with smallpox terrorizes passengers on a train.—Page 4.

Beaver Falls coal dealers are swindled by accepting forged checks.—Page 4.

Three miners are killed by falling from a cage near Mt. Pleasant.—Page 4.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ewing celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at Saltsburg.—Page 4.

Gov. Stone, it is reported, demands the delivery of the Allegheny county delegation to Elkin, the penalty for failure being Recorder J. O. Brown's removal.—Page 1.

SOCIAL.

Circulars will be issued asking for contributions to the work of the summer playgrounds.—Page 7.

Candidates are being named for the office of president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, which will meet in Los Angeles in May.—Page 7.

Shannon's painting, "Miss Kitty," and "A Flower" by John W. Alexander, represent Pittsburgh in the Copley Hall loan exhibition of painting of fair women in Boston.—Page 7.

LEGAL.

Pickpocket who pleaded guilty of stealing $1 80 sent four years to the workhouse.—Page 10.

Model mill erected in the United States court during arguments in a patent suit against the Carnegie Steel Company.—Page 10.

In an equity suit it is alleged a Wilkinsburg ordinance is void because an employe of the company benefited was a member of councils.—Page 10.

SPORTING.

P. A. C. won from champion Keystones in the roughest hockey game of the season.—Page 8.

The Oakland winners: Jennie Reid, Gusto, Gavieta, Siddons, Articulate and Phil Archibald.—Page 8.

The dog show opens today with an entry list embracing the finest and most costly dogs in the country.—Page 8.

The winners at New Orleans: Big Injun, Ben Hullum, Mr. Rose, Intrusion, Delcraine and Van Hoorebeke.—Page 8.

FINANCIAL.

Speculators on the board of trade in Chicago were so disappointed by the non-appearance of Prince Henry to look them over that the market was extremely dull.—Page 10.

The stock market in New York was active and weak at the close yesterday, largely influenced by reports of further large depletions of the cash reserves by foreign shipments.—Page 10.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—J. K. Beckett in "Don Caesar's Return," 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.
GRAND—Stock company in "The Adventure of Lady Ursula," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—"Lost in the Desert," 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE—Avery Strakosch and vaudeville, 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—Fussy & St. John in "A Run on the Bank," 2:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—Victoria Burlesquers, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating afternoon and evening. Hockey, 8 p. m. Boat ride via U. P. Mess.

MILWAUKEE TOO MUCH FOR VOICE OF PRINCE HENRY

The Royal Guest Acknowledges That He Hopes to Recover It Before He Goes Home.

HE RETURNED TO THE EAST HEADED FOR NIAGARA FALLS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

MILWAUKEE, WIS., March 4.—Milwaukee was host to Prince Henry of Prussia for six hours this evening and gave him a reception that was highly enthusiastic and an entertainment that was unique. His special train came at 4 o'clock and at 10 o'clock was away again on the long run to Niagara and New England.

The intervening time was all given over to the reception and entertainment of the royal visitor. It began with a drive through the business and residential districts in review before a crowd that numbered 250,000. Then there was a public reception at which Gov. Lafollette and Mayor Rose voiced the official welcomes, and the United Singing societies raised their voices in mighty chorus.

Saw the Fire Department.

There was also a splendid illumination and a thrilling night run of the Milwaukee fire department. Later there was a banquet at which the prince met the leading citizens of the city and state.

The thousands of Germans resident in Milwaukee joined heartily in the welcome of the young prince to whose house they once owed allegiance, and veterans of the German wars gathered from throughout the state to assist in the reception.

The special train bearing the prince and his party ran up from Chicago over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, and there was an enormous crowd at the depot awaiting its coming. There was a cheer when the prince appeared and another louder than the first when he reached his carriage outside the depot grounds.

Greeted by German Veterans.

Mayor Rose and Admiral Evans entered his carriage, and, flanked by police and guarded by troopers of the First Wisconsin cavalry, the drive through the city began. Ambassador von Holleben and Assistant Secretary of State Hill rode in the second carriage with Captain Frederick Pabst, chairman of the reception committee. Just outside the depot 1,000 veterans of the German wars were drawn up. They had come here from Green Bay, Stevens Point, Port Washington, Appleton, Plymouth, Fond Du Lac, Racine and other distant points in the state, and they gave the prince a volley of cheers as he passed them. The business streets were blockaded with people and the police had great difficulty in keeping a driveway clear.

Prince Henry at the Bridge.

Prince Henry was given the honor of riding in the first carriage to roll across the new Grand avenue-Washington street bridge, and as this point was reached Battery A, stationed on the lake front, fired a salute of 21 guns.

The reception of the prince as he drove through the streets was wildly enthusiastic, and there was an ovation when he entered the exposition building for the public reception. As he appeared on the stage, escorted by his staff and the reception committee the mass chorus of 600 voices sang "Dos Deutsch Lied." There were 10,000 persons packed in the exposition building, and it was long before they were sufficiently stilled for Chairman John Johnson to briefly introduce Mayor Roose.

Welcomed by Mayor.

The mayor, in formally welcoming the prince, made a short speech, and then gave way to former Congressman P. V. Deuster, who spoke in behalf of the German residents and in their tongue. Gov. Lafollette then welcomed the prince to Milwaukee in behalf of the state and expressed regret at the shortness of his visit. Capt. Emil Curt, who also spoke in German, was the last speaker.

The great chorus sang again, and as the prince arose to leave the hall the crowd broke into cheers. He touched his cap in salute and smiled as he turned to leave the stage. The fire run made a spectacle that was both novel and exciting. Thirty-two pieces of apparatus, marshaled by Fire Chief Foley, were raced for a mile at high speed. They ran two abreast and 200 feet apart.

Engines Race in Darkness.

Darkness had come and the engine lights made the picture all the more inspiring. The prince was then driven through illuminated streets to the Hotel Pfister, where the banquet was served.

The illumination was very pretty. Hundreds of strings of electric lights were arched across Grand avenue and Wisconsin street, hundreds of buildings were outlined in light and, high up on the tower of the city hall, printed in incandescent lights, were the words "Welcome to H. R. H., Prince Henry." Especially pretty was the lighting of the court of honor on Grand avenue. When the prince was driven through the court the chimes in the tower of St. James' Episcopal church played the national airs of the United States and Germany and Luther's hymn.

Crowds Thronged the Streets.

There was a great display of bunting, and under the glare of the lights it looked even more attractive than in the daylight. Crowds thronged the streets during the evening, with the Hotel Pfister as the common objective and the night scene was a brilliant one.

The dinner lasted about two hours. The decorations of the banquet hall were very elaborate. The table of honor was literally covered with Alabama smilax, arching gracefully over the place where Prince Henry sat and hung at the ends with roses and carnations. A miniature in flowers of the German yacht Hohenzollern was suspended from the center of the hall.

Prince Lost His Voice.

The toasts proposed to the president of the United States and the emperor of Germany were drunk while the orchestra played the national airs of the respective countries. These were followed by the toast, "Prince Henry of Prussia."

The prince responded as follows:

"Gentlemen: I will occupy your attention for but a few moments, as I am a trifle hoarse, having lost something in this country, namely, my voice, which I hope, however, to regain. It is a pleasure to me to thank you for the hearty welcome you have offered me in this lovely, handsome and sympathetic city of yours, the principal city of Wisconsin and famous for its thrift and industry. I have heard it acknowledged by you as well as by others, that the development of Milwaukee is due largely to the German element amongst your citizens—a statement which fills my heart with pride and gladness, inasmuch as I look upon this German element as one of the strongest ties between Germany and the United States.

"I doubt not that those of German descent will be, in the future as in the past, a credit to that country which they proudly call their home. The merits of the city of Milwaukee are known, its industrial products are recorded—not so, however, with one point which I could not help noticing in passing through the crowded streets of the city today—in brief, the charming, handsome, sweet and pretty faces belonging to the ever fair sex, which are abundant in this city. Allow me to drink to the health and prosperity of the lovely city of Milwaukee."

At the conclusion of Prince Henry's remarks Mayor Rose presented to Prince Henry an elegantly bound album containing photos of Milwaukee's public buildings and some of the beautiful residences of the city.

Prince Henry left for the east at 10 o'clock on a special train. A large crowd greeted him as he took his farewell.

PRINCE HENRY PAID TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN

Placed a Wreath on Emancipator's Statue and Was Entertained at Germania Club.

CHICAGO, March 4.—Prince Henry today listened to an address from the Central Bund of St. Paul, placed a wreath on the Lincoln monument in Lin-

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A Suggestion to South Carolina Since the President Has Decided to Visit There.

SCORNED BY HIS SWEETHEART, HE SHOT HIMSELF

John W. Brophy Crawled Under Bedclothes Before He Fired.

DEAD MAN WAS ONLY NINETEEN YEARS OLD

Because his sweetheart refused to recognize him any longer John W. Brophy, 19 years old, committed suicide last night at his home at No. 1508 Colwell street by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. He was found by his brother James almost two hours after. Brophy shot himself twice in almost the same place. He had been recently employed as a driver, but had not been working for three weeks. The dead boy leaves a mother and a brother.

Brophy was in a gloomy mood when he went home early in the evening. While at supper with his mother and brother he had little to say. Later he arose from the table and said that he was going to his room.

That was about 6:30 o'clock. His brother went to the room about 8:30 o'clock, and while he was undressing in the dark he struck his brother's legs hanging from the side of the bed.

He immediately secured a lamp and was horrified to find his brother lying on the bed in a pool of blood. The revolver he had used was still clenched in his hand.

His brother and mother say that they thought they heard him going to bed. Both say they thought that the sounds that were evidently the pistol reports were the noise made by him in dropping his shoes on the floor. The bed and room were covered with blood.

Brophy had pulled the bed clothing over him when he shot himself. This muffled the sound of the shots. His brother says that he had been doleful for several days, which he attributes to a love affair. The dead boy's mother is heartbroken over his desperate action.

PERCIVAL ROBERTS TAKES EXCEPTIONS TO SCHWAB'S POLICY

Representative of the American Bridge Co. Resigns from Executive Committee.

OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 4.—The directors of the United States Steel Corporation met today and re-elected President Schwab and all the other officers whose terms expire.

Percival Roberts, Jr., retired from membership on the executive committee. His withdrawal was accepted but a successor was not named. Mr. Roberts has not resigned his membership in the board of directors, but is is not improbable that today's step will be followed ultimately by his retirement from active participation in the control of the United States Steel Corporation.

In an interview given by President Schwab when he returned from Europe recently, he referred to his plans for carrying out new ideas of economy and reorganization in the affairs of the American Bridge Company. It is believed that the resignation of Mr. Roberts is the result of the purpose of Mr. Schwab to put the ideas in practice.

Mr. Roberts was the president of the American Bridge Company when it was merged into the corporation. He was previously prominently identified with the Pencoyd iron works of Philadelphia. Mr. Roberts represented a total capitalization of $80,000,000. The following statement was authorized by Mr. Roberts tonight:

"It is true that I presented my resignation as a member of the executive committee of the United States Steel Corporation this afternoon and that it was accepted. The reason for the step I can give only in a general way, and it was this—for some time I have not agreed with Mr. Schwab regarding certain features of the policy of the corporation which he supports."

Opened Texas Gusher for Visitors.

BEAUMONT, TEX., March 4.—(Special.)—President E. H. Harriman of the Southern Pacific system visited the oil fields today in company with Mayor Sam P. Jones of Toledo, O.; James Swayne, syndicate banker, and others. A gusher was opened and spouted for them, and they expressed great surprise at the result. They went to Fort Arthur tonight and will proceed west tomorrow.

TEN PLANTS FOR MAKING WHEELS ARE PLANNED

Unusual Features of Charles T. Schoen's New Enterprise.

SITES FOR WORKS NOT YET CHOSEN

Besides erecting the new rolled steel car wheel plant he now has in contemplation, Charles T. Schoen, the inventor of the pressed steel car, will build nine additional works in the immediate vicinity of Pittsburgh. These plants will all be erected after the same model and will have the same machinery and capacity.

This will mean an outlay of millions of dollars and the employment of thousands of workingmen. This greater proposition of Mr. Schoen means the sale of of hundreds of acres of real estate near one of the three rivers touching Pittsburgh.

When seen at the Hotel Schenley last night Mr. Schoen gave out the following statement:

"As yet, I have not fully decided on the site for the first factory for making my new patent rolled steel car wheels. Ever since I came to Pittsburgh I have been looking at sites and have had six offered to me. I will not say on which river my new site will be located.

"I intend buying at least 30 acres of ground for the first site and will also purchase real estate close by and if the invention proves the success I think it will, I will immediately secure the sites for and begin the erection of nine other factories.

"It is my idea to buy additional ground with each site in order to build houses for workingmen and also to establish a small town.

"I hope to close the negotiations for my first site this week before returning to Philadelphia. The machinery for my new plant is now in the course of construction and according to contract it will be completed by April 15. The new buildings should be finished by May 1, and the first work in the new factory will be done about the middle of May.

"The money for the machinery, buildings and sites is all my own. There is not a penny of outside capital in with me. I will demonstrate thoroughly that my new patent is a success before attempting to interest other capital. After it has been thoroughly tested I expect to form a stock company to run and operate the plants which will be erected to manufacture the new car wheels.

"In the United States there are 9,000 new car wheels used every day. My first plant will turn out 300 wheels each day and when the other plants are put in operation 3,000 wheels daily will be made. I have been working on my new rolled steel car wheel for the past year, and it certainly is a success in every way as I will demonstrate when the new factory is in operation."

Mr. Schoen and John M. Hansen, head of the new Standard Steel Car Company, are understood to have been at Beaver yesterday. Near there a site is under consideration for the initial operations of both interests. A number of capitalists in Pittsburgh and elsewhere stand anxious to join Mr. Schoen in the organization of a company to manufacture his patented rolled steel car wheel.

THREE MISSIONARIES KILLED.

Chinese Massacred Priests in Revenge for the Deposition of Prince Tuan's Son.

VICTORIA, B. C., March 4.—Reports of two massacres of missionaries in China were received by the steamer Empress of India, which arrived from the orient this afternoon. In Kansu, Fathers Van Mirhaeghe and Bouagerts were murdered by a band of Chinese, including soldiers, who attacked their mission. The first named priest was killed instantly by a sword thrust, but the latter lingered for five days suffering from terrible wounds.

It is stated that the attack was made in revenge for the deposition of the son of Prince Tuan by the empress dowager at the request of the foreign ministers. The magistrate of the district being friendly to foreigners, warned the missionaries, but they were attacked before they could get out of the way.

The other massacre took place in Kang Shi. Father Julien being attacked while he slept and cruelly murdered. His body was mutilated, both hands being cut off. His two servants were also killed. The viceroy has sent a troop to hunt for the murderers.

MOB IN NORFOLK DEFIES THE POLICE AND THE MILITIA

Street Car Line Tied Up and Martial Law Will Be Necessary to Bring Quiet.

MANY FIGHTS REPORTED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NORFOLK, VA., March 4.—A mob of 500 strike sympathizers thronged the streets of Norfolk today, on which the main line of the Norfolk Railway and Light Company's cars are run, and the police were unable to cope with it from noon until after dark, when the cars, which were guarded by detachments of military and had been run with difficulty all day, were housed in the barns.

In the county where the barns are the military was in control of the situation. Cars were repeatedly derailed, wagonloads of stones were piled on the tracks and free fights between the military guards and the crowd occurred during the day at frequent intervals.

In one instance a sergeant ran a bayonet into the arm of H. H. Harmansel, a barber. Mrs. Harmansel, who was standing by her husband at the time, knocked the sergeant to the ground with both fists and disclored the face of Lieut. E. R. Gale, who was near her. Several soldiers were struck by missiles thrown through the windows of the cars. A number of arrests were made by both the police and the military.

A conference was held today by Mayor Beaman, Police Chief Tines and Col. Higgins of the Twenty-first regiment, eight companies of which are in service, relative to placing the city under martial law. The police force of 100 men has been on duty for 48 hours, and is unable to meet the emergency.

Martial law will be declared in Norfolk in the morning. Four more infantry companies from Emporia, Suffolk, Smithfield and Franklin, making the entire Seventy-first regiment, have been ordered out.

The strikers tonight cut a mile of trolley wire in the city. The troops are now guarding the power plant. A detachment of a Newport News company under Capt. Gilkerson is on duty.

Large Box Factory Burned.

POPLAR BLUFFS, MO., March 4.—The Palmer Box and Stave factory, owned by Dowell M. Palmer of New York was burned today. Loss $300,000.

ELKIN TURNS TO THE WOMEN FOR THEIR SUPPORT

He Will Speak Before a Sewickley Club This Afternoon.

WILL STAY IN RACE FOR GOVERNORSHIP

Attorney General John P. Elkin has turned to the women for support in his quest after the gubernatorial nomination. Today he will appear before the Women's club of Sewickley and will talk on "Politics." His wife is a member of the club.

Mr. Elkin came to Pittsburgh last night. He referred to the Sewickley engagement as a purely social affair. It has been whispered about for some days, however, that it has a far more important meaning than that. Mr. Elkin wants the support of the women. He will be as nice as he possibly can be when he appears before the Sewickley organization this afternoon.

"I am in the race to stay. I intend to go ahead with my canvass and put my case before the people. I am satisfied with the situation as a whole. I will have more than enough delegates at the state convention to nominate me, regardless of the situation here in Pittsburgh," said Mr. Elkin last night at the Hotel Duquesne.

Would Not Discuss Pittsburgh.

The attorney general of the Stone administration declined to discuss the recent political upheaval in Pittsburgh or its possible effects. "There is a difference of opinion as to that," said he. Mr. Elkin also refrained from going into details as to Senator Quay's probable attitude toward his candidacy.

"Have you received any word from San Lucie recently?" the attorney general was asked.

"No, I have not," was the reply.

"Will you still be a candidate if Senator Quay should declare against you?"

"I do not think that question enters

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STONE CRACKING THE WHIP OVER FLINN'S HEAD

Governor Insists That the Allegheny County Delegation Be Delivered to Attorney General Elkin.

NEW CITY RECORDER MAY BE THE PRICE OF REFUSAL

BY CHESTER D. POTTER.
Staff Correspondent.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Senator William Flinn accompanied by Mrs. Flinn and his son George Flinn, left for home tonight. The senator feels much benefitted physically by his rest at the shore. He said he had nothing of public importance to communicate and emphatically denied that he had received any communications from Florida, either by messenger, letter, wire or wireless telegraphy. Recorder J. O. Brown arrived at the Stratford hotel early this morning. He left for the west on the fast mail at 10:25, but saw Senator Flinn before going.

"I saw 'Joey' just for a moment when he came down to breakfast this morning," said Senator Flinn to The Gazette correspondent.

Flinn Was Not Curious.

"Has he been to Florida?"

"I did not ask him."

"Do you think he was in Florida?"

"I refuse to think. Ask Brown. He was on his way to the train when I saw him, and we only had a moment. If I had walked over to the station I presume he would have told me all the news, but I will see him in Pittsburgh."

"When did you last see Mr. Brown."

"Not since last election day."

George Flinn, who was present, intimated that it would hardly have been possible for Recorder Brown to have covered the distance between Pittsburgh and San Lucie or Palm Beach since he was last in Pittsburgh. Senator Flinn refused to express for publication any opinion upon the gubernatorial chances of ex-Lieut.-Gov. Watres or Congressman Sibley, neither would he declare his position as to the candidacy of Attorney General Elkin. "On this trip I am giving up nothing except to the landlord."

Governor Cracks the Whip Now.

He, declared one very close to the Pittsburgh senator, holds that he (Flinn) will try to keep his agreement with Gov. Stone and deliver the Allegheny county delegation to Mr. Elkin. This, it is asserted, is demanded by the governor, who has refused to modify this feature of the contract by which J. O. Brown became recorder of Pittsburgh. Flinn is compelled to acquiesce or it is said there will be a new man in the recorder's office.

Your correspondent was told today that Mr. Durham still insists upon the nomination of Mr. Elkin. He has so notified Flinn. As a further expression of Durham's determination State Senator John C. Grady said today:

"John P. Elkin will be nominated and elected governor, and the next legislature will be Republican by a good majority, larger than it has been for several years."

Allegheny County Relied Upon.

"The opposition to Elkin for governor is a mere bubble, and I don't think there will be more than 50 or 60 delegates in the state convention who will not support him on the first ballot and, as to the Allegheny situation, I look for considerable support to be given him from that quarter. The reports from various parts of the state that the next legislature would be unfavorable to the re-election of United States Senator Boies Penrose are sent out for political effect, but they will not be able to change the result. In the senate there will be a more solid Republican majority than heretofore, and the house will have more stalwart Republicans than for many years."

ALICE ROOSEVELT WILL VISIT CAPITAL OF CUBA

Accepted an Invitation to Be the Guest of Gov.-Gen. and Mrs. Wood for Several Weeks.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—Miss Alice Roosevelt, whose experiences of travel and society are already far beyond the ordinary, even for a daughter of the president of the United States, has accepted an invitation for a visit of several weeks to the governor general of Cuba and Mrs. Leonard Wood at the governor's palace in Havana.

Miss Roosevelt will leave for Cuba next Sunday, accompanied by a maid and chaperoned by Mrs. Harriet Blaine Beale, who is also to be a guest of Gen. and Mrs. Wood.

As in the case of Miss Roosevelt's proposed trip to London, the Cuban visit is of unofficial character, but will necessarily lead to much entertaining in honor of the daughter of the president.

BURNS STRONGER THAN EVER

His Chances for Re-Election to the Head of the Window Glass Workers Break Record.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 4.—The window glass workers of America will hold their annual election this month. As usual, an attempt will be made to oust Simon Burns from the presidency, but conservative window glass men say that Burns' chances of re-election this year are even brighter than heretofore. The candidates for the national officers are as follows:

For president, Harry Hards of Muncie, Simon Burns of Pittsburgh, Fred Mahley of Anderson, John Bates of Brownsville, Pa., John G. Schlicker and William C. Taylor of Arnold, Pa.

For secretary, Samuel Lash of Muncie, Paul St. Peter of Pittsburgh, the present secretary; Charles C. Meyer of Marion, Charles J. Jackson of Arnold, Pa., and George Calhoun of Jeannette, Pa.

BOYS LOST IN MINE.

Were Rescued After Wandering About Underground for Thirty Hours.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., March 4.—(Special.)—Three boys of Coal Hollow, near Wellsville, who were thought to have perished during the flood, have been found. They undertook to explore an abandoned mine, guided only by a miner's lamp. The light went out and they had no matches with which to relight it. They lost their way completely and for nearly 30 hours strove in vain to find their way out. They would be in the mine yet had not members of a searching party bethought of looking in the mine.

Cold, hungry and thirsty the wanderers answered the rescuers' shouts and found their way to daylight. The boys are Daniel Bolles Jr., and David and John Easton.

CHILD WITNESSED TRAGEDY.

Indiana Man Killed His Beautiful Wife and Committed Suicide Before His Daughter.

EVANSVILLE, IND., March 4.—William Cox shot and killed his wife this evening and then put a bullet into his own brain. He will die. Cox has, it is said, threatened to kill his wife on several occasions.

Mrs. Cox was a beautiful woman and came from Kentucky, where she was well connected. The tragedy was committed in the presence of their daughter.

INJURED IN HOTEL FIRE.

The Landlord, One Guest, and Several Employes Burned in Blaze at Marshalltown.

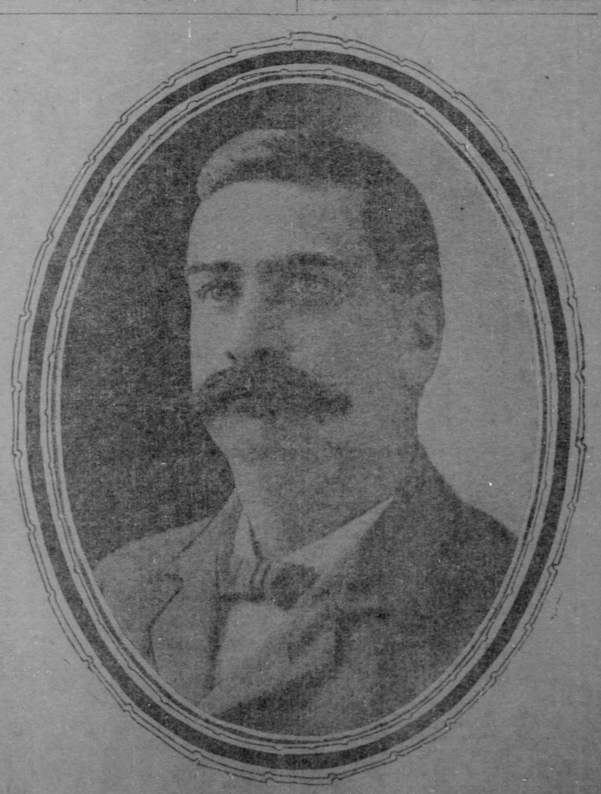
MARSHALLTOWN, IA., March 4.—Half a block of buildings in the heart of the city were destroyed by fire early today entailing a loss of $75,000, resulting in injuries to several guests and employes of the Tremont hotel.

The injured are Lulu Stephens, waitress, internally; Mrs. Bessie Maddin, waitress; Birdie Myers, waitress; J. D. Jayne, landlord; Jacob Kunkle; George C. Steffer, Chicago.

Two Men Drowned Off Jersey.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 4.—The boat in which Enoch Townsend of Linwood and a Portuguese named John Gonzales were sailing in Great Egg Harbor inlet this afternoon, capsized off Ocean City and both men were drowned. The boat turned over in a gust of wind and sank before help could reach the men.

MRS. CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, JR.
She Will Entertain Prince Henry at Dinner at the Kaiser's Suggestion.



FORMER SENATOR WILLIAM M. BROWN.
Lawrence County Republican Who Is Being Talked of for Lieutenant Governor.

MESSAGE FROM MISS ROOSEVELT PLEASED KAISER

Wilhelm Commented on Natural and Unconstrained Form of Cablegram.

HAPPY OVER HENRY'S TRIP

German Emperor Expresses Pleasure at Reception Accorded His Brother, and Is Especially Gratified Because of Prince's Welcome by President.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, March 4.—Emperor William, instead of being displeased with the telegram of Miss Alice Roosevelt concerning the launching of the Meteor, as some of the English newspapers aver, because of its familiar tone, was, on the contrary, very much pleased with it.

A member of the cabinet relates that after an audience with Emperor William, February 28, official business having been finished, he was about to leave, when the kaiser remarked:

"I must show you the charming telegram I have just received from Miss Alice Roosevelt."

To other members of his entourage the emperor has also expressed his pleasure over this telegram and has praised its natural and unconstrained form.

Happy Over Brother's Reception.

The correspondent here of the Associated Press has been officially informed of Emperor William's satisfaction at the reception accorded to Prince Henry. The informant of the correspondent had seen all Emperor William's marginal notes on the reports of Prince Henry's trip. He said:

"His majesty is in the highest degree pleased with Prince Henry's reception from his arrival in America, and especially with that accorded by President Roosevelt and his family. The emperor has also expressed himself as delighted with the enthusiasm of the welcome to his brother."

Compliment to Harvard.

During an audience with Prof. Kuno Francke of Harvard, Emperor William expressed himself as highly satisfied with Prince Henry's reception and said he looked forward with particular interest to the Prince's visit to Cambridge. Emperor William sent for Prof. Francke as a compliment to Harvard university.

The German newspaper men are immensely impressed with Prince Henry's bearing toward the newspaper men of the United States and believe that Emperor William's perception of the influence of the press on national opinion in the United States will affect favorably the relations of the crown to the home press.

Newspaper Men Contrasted.

Herr Bachem, editor of the Cologne Volks Zeitung, in an article in which he multiplies the previous conclusion, contrasts the social and political positions of editors here and in the United States, where newspaper men are selected to serve as cabinet ministers and ambassadors, not because they are better educated or more able, but, Herr Bachem says, because they receive higher salaries.

Herr Bachem is of the opinion that the journey of Prince Henry will not modify the aspirations of the United States, which are conceived to be, first, to break into European markets while excluding Europe from its own markets, and second, to divide the mastery of the seas with Great Britain.

Good Feeling Expected.

Germany's political relations he says will certainly be improved as a result of the visit of the prince and mutual good feeling will be increased. But Germany must expect the United States to pursue its own economic aims, and Germany must do likewise.

Herr Liebermann von Sonnelberg (Radical anti-Semite), who made a violent outburst against Mr. Chamberlain, the British colonial secretary, last January, said in the reichstag today that the visit of Prince Henry would lead to a friendly rapprochement between the United States and German.

Germans Are Friendly.

The Kreuz Zeitung, one of whose favorite topics is American hatred for Germany, says today it believes the visit of the prince has already initiated a transformation for the better. The paper says: "This visit is calculated permanently to enlighten American public opinion to the fact that neither hostile nor even unfriendly sentiments are manifested or cherished by the German empire against the American republic."

The Kreuz Zeitung devotes two columns to advocating the establishment of a direct news service between Germany and the United States, avoiding English channels, where the paper assumes, intelligence is given a political bias.

PRINCE HENRY'S HOSTESS.

Emperor's Brother Will Be Entertained at Dinner by Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., whose portrait is presented in this issue, is the one American hostess who will receive and entertain Prince Henry of Prussia at a purely private social affair. It will be a dinner at which the prince will meet 50 of the most prominent and representative members of American society.

An interesting fact in connection with the acceptance by Prince Henry of the invitation of Mrs. Vanderbilt has been disclosed. Several years ago when she was still Miss Wilson Mrs. Vanderbilt was abroad with her sister, Mrs. Goelet, and received especial courtesy from the kaiser and the kaiserine, dining with them and with the Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia. When through the German ambassador at Washington, D. C., Mrs. Vanderbilt asked to show in some way her appreciation of these royal favors the kaiser directed her to invite Prince Henry to dinner. The selection of the guests for this dinner is causing a great deal of interest in New York society.

POLES ARE ANGRY.

Hold Meetings in Chicago While Prince Was There Denouncing Our Government's Courtesy.

CHICAGO, ILL., March 4.—While Prince Henry was receiving the plaudits and homage of the thousands gathered in the Auditorium and First Regimental armory, over 10,000 Poles met in secret session throughout the city last night and deplored the honor shown the German emperor's brother.

The meetings were under the auspices of the Polish National Alliance.

Boston Ready for the Prince.

BOSTON, MASS., March 4.—The Massachusetts house today adopted an order inviting Gen. Fitzhugh Lee to attend the session of the house next Friday. Gen. Lee is to be here as guest of the minute men of Tremont temple, before whom he will lecture that evening. In the senate an order was adopted for a joint convention at 11 o'clock Thursday to receive Prince Henry of Prussia.

German Officers Entertained.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The officers of the imperial yacht Hohenzollern were entertained tonight by the Liederkranz society and the Arion society at the former's hall. The occasion was called a "social evening." There was a program of vaudeville specialties and refreshments.

RANKIN COUNCIL WAS A SCENE OF UPROAR

Democratic Members Found They Had a Gold Brick After Electing Christopher Fisher President.

Disgraceful and riotous scenes marked the organization of the Rankin borough council last night. It was necessary to call upon the police to preserve order and they had a hard time bringing about even a semblance of order. No sooner would there be a momentary quieting down till something would occur to create a fresh outbreak.

The cause of all the uproar was Christopher Fisher, who was elected on the Democratic ticket and who is said to have agreed at the caucus of Democratic members, at which he was named for the office of president of council, to vote for Democratic candidates for all the borough offices.

Immediately after Fisher had been elected presiding officer and had taken his seat, he made some declarations that stirred his Democratic brethren to wild merriment and wrath. They had counted on his voting as he had promised and with his vote the Democrats had a majority of one. But when the election of officers of the borough came up, Fisher in each instance voted for Republican candidates.

As each officer was elected the Democratic members hurled curses at Fisher and called him a traitor and brute. All the old officers, with the exception of one, were re-elected as follows: Clerk, H. M. Hughes; solicitor, Joseph Mayhugh; engineer, U. G. Dudal; treasurer, George B. Wait; chief of police, J. C. Clavle, all Republicans, and patrolman, George Bryant, Democrat.

After the meeting, which lasted over three and one-half hours, Fisher was escorted from the building by a policeman and two Republican members of council. He was met at the door by over 200 men who followed him and called him vile names until he was spirited away by his companions.

PITTSBURGH ORCHESTRA CLOSES GOTHAM SEASON

A Regular Fixture in Metropolitan Amusements Now, and New Yorkers Look for It Eagerly.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 4.—The last Pittsburgh orchestra concert of the season under Victor Herbert's direction, in Carnegie hall tonight, was a delightful affair. In honor of Robert Emmet's anniversary, Mr. Herbert, himself a native son of the Emerald isle, placed Stanford's "Irish Symphony" at the head of the program. Prof. Stanford's work, with its rollicking "hop-jig" for a second movement, and its clever use of Irish airs, is one of the most characteristic of modern symphonies. It is racial and smacks of the soil.

The "Allegro Moderato," from Tschaikowsky's violin concerto, opus 35, was played by Lindsay Wilson Kunitz, the concert master of the orchestra, who mastered its difficulties in musical style.

A charming interpretation of the "Waldweben" from "Siegfried," and Herr Emil Fischer appeared. As soon as audience and orchestra caught a glimpse of his familiar face they gave him a great ovation.

A brilliant rendering of "Siegfried's Rhine Journey" brought concert and season to an end. The program:

This orchestra, composed mostly of young men, who play with enthusiasm and not as if music had become a bore to them, is a regular visitor now, and its concerts are looked forward to as fixtures for each season.

The following Pittsburghers were in the audience: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Frank, Mrs. John C. Slack, Misses Slack, Mrs. Louise Homer, Mrs. C. M. Schwab and Mrs. George W. Dart.

GAVE BOGUS CHECKS.

Beaver Falls Coal Dealers Are Swindled by a Stranger.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—The police were notified today of a swindling operation that has been worked on the coal dealers of this place by means of forged checks given by a fairly well-dressed stranger. His plan was to order a load of coal to be sent to his home the next day, then give a check for $10 or $12 on the Farmers National bank of this place, bearing the signature of Frederick Schmunk, a baker here, in payment. The check was generally for $2 or $3 more than the coal bill and he would get the difference in cash.

He gave his name as Henry Snyder and when the coal came to be delivered the driver would find that no person of that name lived at the street and number. The Beaver Falls Fuel Company, Hunter & Co., Anderson & Co., J. F. Bornton, two men on Mt. Washington and three in New Brighton are known to have been victims.

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ELKIN TURNS TO THE WOMEN FOR THEIR SUPPORT

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into the situation. Senator Quay has always been friendly to me," was Mr. Elkin's answer.

"Have you seen Recorder J. O. Brown lately?"

Here to See the People.

"I have not seen Recorder Brown for three months and have never discussed my candidacy with him," said Mr. Elkin. "I am not here to hold political conferences with anyone. I am here simply to see the people. I intend to go before them. You may say that I am a candidate for governor, no matter who may be a candidate for United States senator. So far as I am concerned the situation is unchanged."

Recorder J. O. Brown and Senator Flinn are expected to call upon Attorney General Elkin. Judging from expressions it is probable that few, if any of the Stalwart Republicans will see Mr. Elkin during his stay in this city.

Asked last night how Thomas S. Bigelow felt toward him, Mr. Elkin said: "Mr. Bigelow feels friendly toward me, but I cannot say how he feels politically."

Had Few Visitors.

The state attorney general had few visitors last night. Attorney R. B. Scandrett was at the hotel for dinner and made a brief call at Mr. Elkin's apartments to pay his respects.

Elkin is directing his own campaign for the state delegates to be elected at the Blair county primaries next Saturday week. A circular letter was mailed from Harrisburg by Elkin yesterday to every Republican voter in the county urging him to vote to instruct the delegates to support him. He is anxious to secure the instructions there for the effect that he believes it will have on the primaries in the western counties, which have not yet elected state delegates.

Allegheny County Doubtful.

"If Elkin is nominated for governor he will lose Allegheny county by 30,000," said ex-Mayor Andrew Fulton yesterday. "Any majority that Elkin may get in Philadelphia will be eaten up by the votes that he will lose in this and other county in the western part of the state. Elkin is doomed to defeat if he remains in the race and forces through a nomination for himself.

"There is no doubt to my mind that the machine can get the Allegheny county delegates for Elkin," continued Mr. Fulton, "as they have control of the party machinery and it is useless for other Republicans to attempt a fight at the primaries. Recorder Brown and Flinn are working to induce Elkin to withdraw, not because they doubt their ability to deliver the Allegheny county delegates to him at the state convention, but because they realize that any candidate tainted with Stoneism cannot carry the county at the election.

Trying to Save Machine.

"J. O. Brown and Flinn do not want to lose the county, and they are anxious to make any kind of a bargain they think will save the 'organization.' They can bargain all they please, I intend to go right ahead as I have been doing. The people of Pittsburgh have demonstrated that they are able to take care of their own affairs. They do not want any bosses.

"Allegheny is just as ripe for an uprising against the machine as was Pittsburgh, and the country districts are just as ready for a fight with the ring as the people of the two cities."

Ex-Mayor Fulton said that he favored independent candidates for the legislature as well as for the county offices. He thought that a town meeting should make the nominations if it could be arranged amicably to all parties concerned, as the expense of holding primaries would be heavy. "Up to date I am not a candidate, but I may be, later," added Mr. Fulton. "My choice for governor is Don Cameron," said he.

Guffey Makes a Denial.

Col. J. M. Guffey yesterday denied statements published in the press that he was taking part in nominations in certain senatorial districts of the state against members who had not acted fully with the Democratic party at the last session of the legislature.

"The statement attributed to me is not correct," said Col. Guffey. "As a matter of fact, I have taken no part, as yet, either for or against any aspirant for either the house or the senate, in any district in the state.

"It is true there are grave charges against certain senators and members, in connection with their actions in their representative capacity at the last session; but, having absolute faith in the people, the matter can be safely left to them to determine and settle for themselves. There is no necessity for any advice from me. Let each man be judged by the people of his district on the record he has already made."

GENIAL, BUT TACITURN.

Recorder Brown Back from the East Chats Pleasantly, but Says Nothing Important.

City Recorder J. O. Brown arrived home last night on the Pennsylvania limited express. He has been absent from the city for some days, supposedly in the east and south arranging political deals. Senator William Flinn is in the east, and Senator M. S. Quay in the south. Hence the recorder's visit.

A representative of The Gazette met Recorder Brown last night when he left the train at East Liberty station. He was in a most happy frame of mind, which would seem to indicate that whatever his business might have been it had terminated to his satisfaction. Generally, the recorder is glad to get away from a newspaper man when he can, but last night he evinced no desire to escape, having carefully mapped out his program.

"Oh, I am in first rate health," he said in response to a question. "I had a very pleasant trip. I expected some of you fellows would be here to meet me, so I am ready for you. All I can say is that I will not discuss politics at all. You must just wait for developments. Come around and see me tomorrow."

Then the recorder changed the subject, and wanted to know all about the reception accorded Prince Henry of Prussia last Saturday. He expressed regret that his royal highness had not had an opportunity to visit the Carnegie plants and other great industrial institutions of Pittsburgh and vicinity. He was very cordial, but carefully avoided any reference to politics, and any effort to turn the conversation in that direction availed nothing.

ROUSS WILL FILED.

The Property Was Left Entirely to His Family and Charity Received Nothing.

NEW YORK, March 4.—The will of Charles Broadway Rouss was filed for probate in the surrogate's office today. The document was executed March 17, 1898. It made no charitable bequest.

The will left to Mrs. Charles Broadway Rouss, now dead, the house on Fifth avenue and $5,000 yearly. The building in which his business was conducted was left to his two children, Mrs. Virginia Lee and Peter Winchester Rouss. It was stipulated that Mrs. Lee was to get the Fifth avenue house if her mother died. She also gets Mr. Rouss' farm in Jefferson county, Va.

Mr. Rouss requested that his son Peter continue the business on Broadway under the old name, William W. Rouss, a brother of the dead millionaire, is made executor and he and another brother receive $50,000 each. The residue of the estate is willed to Peter Winchester Rouss.

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CAUSED A WIDOW MUCH TROUBLE

ALLEGHENY BUREAU OF HEALTH ANNOYS MRS. MINNIE GIBSON.

Saturday One of Her Boarders Was Removed as a Smallpox Patient—Yesterday the Quarantine Was Lifted, but Boarders Are Still Fearful.

The Allegheny bureau of health has been making trouble for Mrs. Minnie Gibson, a widow, who keeps a boarding house at No. 1421 Juniata street, and her boarders. Last Saturday one of her boarders was taken from the house and a smallpox sign nailed to the front door. Yesterday morning this placard was taken down. In the meantime some of the boarders were quarantined, some escaped and others who were absent when the health officers made their first call quietly made their way to other quarters when they returned and saw the smallpox danger signal. And now they seem to doubt the declaration of the bureau of health that the house is "all right." Mrs. Gibson has been worried half to death by this quick action on the part of the bureau, and now that she practically has no boarders threatens to have satisfaction in some form from the bureau, even if she has to go to law.

Chapman Had an Experience.

Early last week Louis Chapman, receiver for a laundry company, who boarded with Mrs. Gibson, complained of feeling unwell and on Friday Dr. C. C. Bippus of North Diamond street was called in. Saturday he notified the bureau of health that Chapman had varioloid. Then an officer of the bureau of health called at the Gibson house and inquired if it was there Chapman, "the smallpox patient, lived." A commotion followed. Several boarders who heard the question bolted through the back door and with them went the elder Chapman, who did not want to be quarantined for 30 days, that being the length of time they shut people up in Ohio.

Three other health officers soon arrived and took the names of all the inmates, present and absent, and then guarded the house front and rear. Late in the afternoon Dr. E. E. Mayer, city physician, called, and then the municipal ambulance arrived. Young Chapman took a seat in it willingly enough, though he was not at all pleased when in another part of the city another passenger was taken in in the shape of a young woman who did have smallpox, and who resisted removal so fiercely that Chapman had to assist in holding her in the conveyance.

Quarantine Suddenly Lifted.

Having resigned herself to the loss of nearly all her boarders Mrs. Gibson was ready for a two weeks' quarantine. Fumigation was carried on Sunday and Monday, great inconvenience being caused thereby. Yesterday Mrs. Gibson had another surprise when officials from the bureau of health tore down the yellow sign and declared the house immune and all the quarantine prisoners entitled to go where they pleased. Not a stitch of bedclothing was burned, and but one precaution was taken. Mrs. Gibson's little girl was forbidden to go to school for 30 days and her school books were taken away to be burned.

"I don't know anything about this," said a health officer, "but I was told you had been quarantined enough and I was to take down the smallpox sign and open the house."

Dr. Bippus was visibly surprised when told that the quarantine had been removed from the Gibson house. Chapman is still in the municipal hospital.

CRUISER TO WAGE WAR AGAINST DANGEROUS FOE

The Cincinnati Will Try the Dewey Act Upon Floating Rafts and Bad Derelicts.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 4.—The United States cruiser Cincinnati, which has been selected by the secretary of the navy to destroy the dangerous derelicts about the Delaware capes and in the North Atlantic ocean, will begin her work tomorrow.

The commissioning of the Cincinnati as a derelict destroyer has been a good piece of news to the shippers of this port. Almost every liner that has arrived here during the past four weeks has reported the presence, right in the track of navigation, of a number of dangerous derelicts. Had they not been sighted in time they might have sent the liners to the bottom. Off Delaware capes there are a number of these derelicts, floundering about, all nameless, but all menaces to shipping.

Skippers of incoming craft report, too, any quantity of driftwood. Much of this is in the form of rafts of logs, and a collision with them would send any ship to the bottom. These extend all along the Jersey coast. When the Cincinnati gets rid of these, she will turn her attention to the floating hulks of schooners and barks, the victims of the fierce February storms.

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HEARTS MORTGAGED FOR TERM OF YEARS

PROSPECTIVE SOLDIER ASSURES HIMSELF OF A WIFE.

Lovers Go Before a Justice of the Peace and Sign Written Bonds to Remain True to Each Other Until Period of Enlistment Expires.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 4.—Lemuel Meekins of Fairview, N. J., desires to be a soldier in the Philippines for three years, and to make sure of a wife on his return he called on Justice of the Peace George F. Seymour of Hoboken last night in company with Miss Laura Morganson of Granton, Bergen county, whom he intends to make his bride.

Miss Morganson is about 20 years old and is a telegraph operator in this city. Meekins is 25 and he will resign a position in a New York department store in order to enlist. He says he has a friend in the recruiting office in New York and will go to him tomorrow and enlist.

Before going to the justice the couple had drawn up two agreements which explain themselves. After they had been formally signed before Justice Seymour, Meekins and Miss Morganson took their departure, apparently satisfied. Meekins' agreement says:

"I, Lemuel Charles Meekins, do sacredly vow to remain unmarried and unengaged for a period of three years and six months from date; to pay no marked attention to any unmarried woman or widow during said period, other than the attentions due from any gentleman; to carry on no correspondence by mail or communication by telephone with any unmarried woman or widow, or, if wounded on the field of battle, to receive care or attention only from those employed regularly as nurses; and to receive no attention from any school teacher who may be in the Philippines during said period; and I do further agree to save from my regular pay 75 per cent of all moneys received from the United States during the term of my enlistment."

Miss Morganson's agreement is equally interesting. It says:

"I, Laura Amelia Morganson, do sacredly vow to remain unmarried and unengaged for the period of three years and six months from date; to receive no marked attention from any unmarried man or widower during the period of three years and six months; not to be escorted to, from, or to be present at any church service, church social, entertainment, concert, musical, picnic, excursion, outing, baseball game, or any place of public amusement or reception, with any unmarried man or widower, or with any man other than those of my immediate family; and I do hereby vow not to carry on any communication or correspondence by mail or telephone with any unmarried man or widower, or engage, promote or foster any courtship whatsoever during the said period of three years and six months."

SMALL BOY ARRESTED FOR HORSE STEALING

Ten-Year-Old Lad Charged With Taking Two Animals Within a Week.

NEWARK, O., March 4.—(Special.)—Cecil Mahara, the 10-year-old son of Albert Mahara of this city, stole a horse and buggy and set of harness belonging to L. B. Stickle on Monday night and drove to Granville, where he was captured by Charles Wright and Edward Jones and held until the arrival of Stickle, who brought the boy to Newark and had him locked up in the city prison. He had a hearing this morning before Mayor Atherton, who bound him over to the probate court in the sum of $100.

Young Mahara last week stole a horse belonging to Charles Twining of Granville. He will probably be sent to the Boys' Industrial school.

DIED.

STEWART—On Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 7 a. m., at the family residence on Wilson avenue, Beaver, Pa., of typhoid fever, ELIJAH STEWART, aged 46 years.

Funeral services at the Beaver United Presbyterian church, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment in Beaver cemetery.

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MILWAUKEE TOO MUCH FOR VOICE OF PRINCE HENRY

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coln park and enjoyed a luncheon and reception at the Germania club.

The presentation of the address by Gov. Van Sant of Minnesota was the first detail of the day's official program. The prince received the governor and a committee accompanying him in his private parlor after he had eaten breakfast.

By 11 o'clock all those who were to accompany the prince during the day assembled at the Auditorium and entered the carriages waiting to convey them to Lincoln Park and the Germania club. In the carriage with the prince were Mayor Harrison, Rear Admiral Evans and former Secretary of War Robert T. Lincoln.

At Lincoln's Statue.

A crowd numbering thousands was crushed about the statue of the great emancipator when the prince and his entourage came upon the scene. The prince was all gravity as he entered the plot of clearly swept ground surrounding the monument, laid at the feet of the image of the martyred president the laurel token of respect. The whole ceremony lasted but a few moments.

The prince and his official party quickly re-entered their carriages and started at a brisk trot for the Germania club, transformed for the occasion into a bit of the fatherland. A burst of music from a brass band heralded the prince's coming and in a few minutes the "Prince Henry" of last night was "Unser Heinrich," among an enthusiastic congregation of German-Americans.

Luncheon at Germania Club.

The cavalry escort which had accompanied the prince from the Auditorium drew up in front before the prince alighted from his carriage.

When the luncheon was finished President Fischer escorted the prince to the ball room where he received those who had taken luncheon with him. It was during this reception that one of the most pleasing incidents of the day took place. President Fischer on behalf of the ladies of the club, presented the prince with a magnificent vase to be given to his wife, the Princess Irene.

The prince left the Germania club at 1:30 and was driven directly to the Union depot. Crowds as usual lined both sides of the streets. At the depot he thanked Mayor Harrison for the pleasure his reception in Chicago had given him. At 2 p. m. the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul special train reserved for his highness and suite, left the station. The prince stood on the rear platform waving farewell to the assembled multitude.

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"I had been sick for eight years and no tongue can tell what I suffered. I would have spells of nervous headache when I would keep my bed five and six days, and could not raise my head off the pillow. Then I would get numb all over and they would have to rub and work over me to keep me alive, and I would have sinking spells and palpitation of the heart, but thanks to Paine's Celery Compound, and I cannot praise it enough, I have not had a headache for six weeks, a thing I could not say before in eight years. Your Compound has almost raised me from the grave, as I had given up all hopes of this life until my husband read one of your pamphlets. After I had been using it I felt better than I had for three years."

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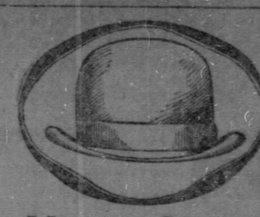

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NORTH CAROLINA TOWNS ARE STILL WITHOUT AID

Roads Are Washed Out and There Is No Way of Assisting the Destitute.

BILTMORE WAS DAMAGED

George W. Vanderbilt's Favorite Horses Were Drowned in the Torrent and Several of His Servants Narrowly Escaped Death.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 4.—The flood situation at points in Western North Carolina continues serious. Reports of disastrous results of the storm still come in. Several hundred hands are at work clearing the track between Asheville and Marshall, and one work train went through upon which was Senator Pritchard.

Four men reached Asheville this morning from Hot Springs. They traveled 45 miles on horseback, and report all roads washed out. They say Hot Springs is cut off from all communication in every direction. The damage to the Mountain Park hotel is estimated to be $50,000. The hotel is almost filled with guests. Nearly all of the bridges in the county are gone.

On the Biltmore estate of George W. Vanderbilt, while the roads were flooded the head coachman, Matthews, Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. King, the housekeeper, had a narrow escape from death. Mr. Vanderbilt's favorite horses were drowned. The party started to drive along the river road and were washed into the river while attempting to cross the flooded road.

They stayed in the water an hour and were finally rescued by Ferryman Brooks of the estate. The horses were those driven by Mrs. Vanderbilt. They were given to Mr. Vanderbilt by his mother, Mrs. W. H. Vanderbilt, and were highly prized by the owner.

The total damage will be over $1,000,000.

Nebraska's Turn Has Come.

LOUISVILLE, NEB., March 4.—An ice gorge which began forming above the Missouri Pacific bridge near this city yesterday has reached formidable proportions and the Platte river has risen higher than for 20 years, now covering a stretch of country two miles wide. The tracks of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad are washed out for half a mile and trains will be unable to pass for several days.

Tonight the tracks of the Missouri Pacific road began to wash out slowly and no trains can run over the threatened portion. East and west of the city the Burlington tracks are washed out in small patches, and it is feared they will be impassable tomorrow.

Twenty families living in the lowlands have been compelled to abandon their homes and go to the bluffs. All their effects were left in their houses, and they are being taken care of by friends.

Conditions Better at Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 4.—Street car traffic in Albany was resumed late this afternoon, and the city is rapidly recovering from the effect of the flood. The freshet has receded five and a half feet since daylight this morning, and unless all indications fail the water will be below the level of the docks before tomorrow morning. Railroad trains are being run with some degree of regularity, but all are from 4 to 7 hours late.

Water at Paterson Receding.

PATERSON, N. J., March 4.—Conditions in the flooded section of this city were much improved today. Between midnight and 10 o'clock today there was a rapid fall in the waters. On River street, which was most affected by the flood, the torrent still rushed along today and passage even in boats was impossible. Where the streets intersect west, at Main, Washington, Bridge and Paterson streets there were whirlpools that made any attempt to cross these thoroughfares out of the question.

Heavy Loss on Southern.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., March 4.—Official reports received at the railroad headquarters here show that the situation in the flooded district is improved. The Southern's loss between Morristown and Asheville will aggregate from $200,000 to $250,000 to roadbed and bridges alone.

Cincinnati Feels Safe.

CINCINNATI, March 4.—The Ohio river flood here reached its crest of 59½ feet and became stationary at 9 o'clock. While it is possible that a slight rise may follow, there will be no substantial addition.

Wreck Caused by Washout.

CAMBRIDGE, VT., March 4.—An eastbound mail train on the Burlington and Lamoille division of the Central Vermont railroad was wrecked near here this evening and several passengers were injured. The passenger coach and a combination mail and express car went down a 15-foot embankment, rolling over. A 3-year-old grandson of Henry Stevens of Johnson, Vt., was very badly hurt and may die.

The flood has caused a general suspension of traffic on the road since Saturday. The train wrecked tonight was the first over the line.

PAINTERS STRIKE TODAY.

Reports Are That Several Employers Will Sign the Scale Before Tonight.

Of the 1,800 organized painters, decorators and paper hangers in the Pittsburgh district, about 1,500 will go on strike this morning. The other 300 will probably remain at work, having been advised that their employers have signed the new scale. Master painters employing 300 more men are expected to sign the new scale before tonight.

Frank E. Smith, the strike leader, said last evening: "Employers of a majority of the men, I understand from incomplete reports, have agreed to our wage proposition but have not signed the scale. Still they do the men will be on strike. We are not settling this issue for a few months, but for a year. A mass meeting of the men has been called for Wednesday afternoon to devise means for conducting the strike. With the numbers of men ready to cease to leave working, we will be able to sustain a strike for months, if necessary, but do not expect it will last that long."

Contractors, mostly out-of-town, who have painting and decorating contracts on the skyscrapers nearing completion, are all ready to meet the advance, it is said, but work will be stopped till the new scale has been formally signed.

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THE DIAMOND TRADE REACHES A CRISIS

Impending Failures Cause Defalcations of Many Merchants.

SOME FLEE TO NEW YORK

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BRUSSELS, March 4.—Numerous and contradictory reports are current here as to the crisis in the diamond trade, and the newspapers refer to the impending failures of several firms in the diamond business at Antwerp, Amsterdam and London. They allege that some diamond merchants have been guilty of extensive defalcations and have fled to London and New York.

The crisis is said to be due to the large quantity of goods on warrant, which can only be disposed of at a loss.

The Messager de Bruxelle says that the extradition of two men who fled to New York with 500,000 francs worth of diamonds has been demanded.

A telegram received here tonight from Antwerp says the diamond market is calmer as a result of the proposals of three diamond merchants to effect an arrangement with their creditors.

LONDON, March 4.—Four thousand men in the diamond trade here are idle. It is declared that unless the diamond cleavers abandon their strike soon the Antwerp and Amsterdam factories will be closed.

NO RECRUITS NEEDED FOR BRITISH ARMY

Secretary Brodrick Defends the War Office and Confirms Necessary Changes.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, March 4.—In introducing the army estimates, £30,310,1000, in the house of commons today, the war secretary, Mr. Brodrick, entered into a long defense of the war office, which, he contended, had done its work well, considering that a war had never been before waged on such a scale as the South African war. The war office today was feeding 200,000 men and 243,000 horses in South Africa, and there were no complaints on that score.

The experiences of the last year had confirmed the necessity for changes in the army administration, in decentralization, etc., as outlined by the government last year. Military officers and clerks were being rapidly substituted in the war office for civilian officers and clerks.

In regard to recruiting, Mr. Brodrick believed the limit had been reached. No reduction in the strength of the army could be expected, and probably the Indian garrison must be increased.

FOUGHT FOR TWO HOURS.

British Could Not Hold Out Against Boers at Klerksdorp.

LONDON, March 4.—Telegrams received here from Klerksdorp describing the attack upon and capture by the Boers February 24 at a point southwest of Klerksdorp of 467 British soldiers who were acting as convoy to an empty wagon train, show that Gen. Delarey laid his plans with consummate care and precise knowledge of the ground.

For two hours the British held out. They then divided and were overwhelmed. A few minutes of incautious fighting and all was over. The Boers galloped along the line firing at every man who showed the slightest tendency to resist until they reached and captured the guns.

LOGAN IS PRESIDENT.

Chamber of Commerce Elects a Prominent Business Man to Succeed John Bindley.

At the annual meeting of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce yesterday, Col. A. J. Logan was elected president to succeed John Bindley, who declined a re-election.

The following vice presidents were elected: George A. Kelly, H. K. Porter,

Col. A. J. Logan.

William M. Kennedy, William P. Herbert, Robert Pitcairn, William R. Thompson, John Bindley; directors, Robert Munroe, George H. Anderson, John Eaton, M. Rosenbaum, A. P. Burchfield, J. E. Ash, D. P. Black, James R. Mellon, John C. Ulrich, James H. Willock, Oliver McClintock, W. B. Rodgers, Lawrence C. Phipps, John Caldwell, H. J. Heinz, J. N. Pew, J. W. Marsh, John A. Beck, Robert Wardrop, H. D. W. English, James A. Henderson, William Campbell, John L. Lewis, Albert M. Hanauer, Thomas Patterson.

SEEK TO AVOID IDLENESS.

Tin Workers Conferring With Trust Officials on Continuance of Present Scale.

The conference of Amalgamated association officials with executives of the American Tin Plate Company in New York yesterday, reached no conclusions. Adjournment was taken till today.

The object of the conference is to arrange for the operation of tin plate mills during the usual period of idleness for wage scale negotiations. Whatever is arranged by the meeting will have to be ratified, either by a vote of the tin plate lodges or at the annual convention of the association at Wheeling in April.

Refusal of the tin plate workers to consent to a continuance of the present scale for three years, as provided under the strike settlement, will leave the tin plate company with no scale after July 1, if an adjustment is not made meantime.

At the Wheeling convention of the Amalgamated association in April a lively contest over the presidency is expected. Friends of M. F. Tighe, assistant secretary, are working in his interest. Theodore J. Shaffer is seeking re-election. The Wheeling convention will also develop a new effort to take the Amalgamated headquarters from Pittsburgh.

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CHINA IS THREATENED WITH INTERNAL WAR

Rebellion Is Spreading Very Fast in the Kwang Si Province.

FRENCH AID SUSPECTED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

HONGKONG, March 4.—The rebellion in Kwang-So province is spreading rapidly. Signs of unrest are already apparent at Kweilin and Nan King, the newly-opened river treaty ports.

The Canton viceroy has dispatched troops to the scene of the disturbances and has stationed over 1,000 men at Kwei-Lin and Nan-King for use in case of eventualities.

The rebels are believed to be former soldiers of Marshal Su, who were disbanded on his promotion. Their propaganda, which has spread far and wide, includes the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty, the founding of a Chinese dynasty, and helping the oppressed and needy Chinese.

The French are said to be secretly supporting the rebels.

PEKING, March 4.—The government has ordered Marshal Su to resume command of the rebellious soldiers in Kwang Si province. It is doubtful if he will be able to control them, as it is necessary first to pay them their overdue wages.

The French legation here has received a telegram saying that the rebels have killed a French officer near the Tonquin border.

SPANISH RIOTERS PAY DEATH PENALTY

Arrested Strikers Are Shot for Participating in Disturbances.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MADRID, March 4.—A number of the strikers arrested for participation in the recent riots at Barcelona were shot at Fort Montjuich this morning.

A brother of Gen. Moore, the Carlist leader, has been arrested for complicity in the Barcelona riots and will be tried by court-martial.

Papers seized at the houses of anarchists in Barcelona indicate that a wide-spread plot existed.

Strikes were declared today at Cadiz and Ferrol, Spain.

THE STEAMER ETRURIA IS DISABLED AT SEA

Lost Her Propeller and Is Now in Tow of the William Cliff.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LIVERPOOL, March 4.—The steamer Etruria will probably reach the Azores tonight or tomorrow morning. The officials of the Cunard line are arranging to have tugs proceed to Fayal and tow the disabled liner home.

LONDON, March 4.—The British steamer Ottawa, from Philadelphia for London, has arrived at Fayal, Azore islands, and reports having sighted the Etruria in tow of the British steamer William Cliff, 400 miles west of Fayal. The Etruria had lost her propeller.

Another report says the Etruria was picked up when 500 miles from Fayal. All were well on board.

NEW YORK, March 4.—A dispatch from one of the passengers on the Etruria, which was taken from the Etruria to the Azores by the oil tank Ottawa, which spoke the Etruria on Friday, is as follows:

"The Etruria lost her propeller and steering gear on the evening of February 26, and drifted helplessly in a heavy sea till night, making continuous signals. Too much cannot be said for the bravery and coolness of Capt. Stephens, whose example filled the passengers and crew with courage.

"They are trying to tow the Etruria to the Azores. As I write we are now in tow of the steamer William Cliff, but are making no headway. The wind and sea are against us and the Cliff is not strong enough to do more than hold us stead.

"All are well on board, and after the first excitement everything has been quiet. They are trying to lash spars to make a rudder. Capt. Stephens wishes to assure all that there is no danger."

News that the Etruria had been sighted, disabled, was brought to Mr. Marconi at his temporary headquarters today. The inventor appeared deeply interested when he was asked how soon wireless communication could be established with the crippled liner. After some reflection he said that the moment the Cunarder entered within a radius of any one of his coast stations it might be expected that word would be received from her.

Gen. DeWet Reported Wounded.

LONDON, March 4.—A dispatch from Harrismith, Orange river colony, says that Boer prisoners report that Gen. DeWet was shot in the arm during the recent attempt to break through the blockhouse line, held by the New Zealanders in the vicinity of Harrismith and Van Reenen.

MRS. SOFFEL IN BAD SHAPE.

Her Lungs Are Seriously Affected by the Cold She Caught When She Was Brought Home.

Mrs. Soffel is in bad shape physically. Yesterday her physician was with her almost the entire day. The severe cold she contracted on the day of her removal to this city has affected her lungs. Her physician, Dr. H. G. Briggs, is greatly alarmed about her. From the present indications she will not be able to stand trial next week.

Mrs. Soffel suffered greatly yesterday. She was perhaps worse than on any day since she had been confined to her bed. During the entire day she complained of great pains in her left lung. In the morning she had a slight hemorrhage.

It was learned from her physician that Mrs. Soffel is not afraid to face justice for her crime. If she were in better physical condition she would willingly submit herself to the disposition of the court.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker said yesterday that he would do all he could to push Mrs. Soffel's case. She will be summoned for trial just as soon as the commonwealth can prepare its case against her. She will be indicted by the grand jury this morning on two charges.

MAIL BAG STOLEN.

Checks of the American Steel Hoop Company Amounting to $20,000 Are Missing.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., March 4.—A mail bag containing invoices and checks of the American Steel Hoop Company, amounting to $20,000, which had been left at the Lake Shore station to be sent out, was found in a box car in the Lake Shore yard today.

The letters had been opened and the checks taken. Payment has been stopped.

DIVIDENDS ARE REDUCED.

German Steamship Company's Reports Show Decrease in Annual Earnings.

BERLIN, March 4.—All the German steamship lines show heavy reductions in their dividends for 1901.

The Hamburg-American Steam Packet Company reports net earnings of 20,000,000 marks for 1901, as against net earnings of 23,800,000 in 1900 and has declared a dividend of 6 per cent in 1901, as against 10 per cent in 1900.

The Argo Steamship Company has reduced its dividend from 8 per cent in 1900 to 3 per cent in 1901; the German-Australian Steamship Company paid a dividend of 8 per cent in 1901 as against 12 per cent in 1900, and the German-American Company, which paid a dividend of 10 per cent in 1900, reduced this to 4 per cent in 1901.

DUMONT COMING TO AMERICA.

French Aeronaut to Give Exhibitions in New York.

LONDON, March 4.—M. Santos Dumont, the aeronaut, arrived in this city today. During the course of an interview he said he hoped to add to the attractions of the coronation festivities by making ascents here. If possible he will make a tour of St. Paul's cathedral, as he did of the Eifel tower.

Santos Dumont will afterward go to New York, where he will give exhibitions.

Students to Make Demonstration.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—The students and working men here are secretly preparing a monster demonstration to take place March 7 in front of the Cazan cathedral. They hope to get 20,000 men through the military cordons and reach the center of the city.

Plague in Australia.

MILBOURNE, VICTORIA, March 4.—A single case of the plague has been reported here. It was traced to a steamer from Sydney, N. S. W. There have been 46 plague cases at Sydney since the outbreak there, of which 14 have proved fatal.

FLASHES FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

CAPETOWN, March 4.—Cecil Rhodes, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO, March 4.—The French cruiser Suchet has arrived here.

ROME, March 4.—The pope today received in audience Mgr. J. M. Barley, coadjutor bishop of New York.

BRUSSELS, March 4.—The international sugar conference at its meeting today postponed the signature of the convention until March 6.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 4.—The czar has sent 150,000 roubles for the relief of the victims of the recent earthquake at Shamaka, Trans Caucasia.

LONDON, March 4.—It is reported that the projected visit to Ireland of King Edward has been abandoned on account, it is said, of the aggressive action of the United Irish league.

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A few of the noted Robes will give an idea of the vast range of materials and prices, but it will take a personal visit to comprehend the beauty and finish of the different varieties.

1st. A magnificent Robe of real Bruges white lace, made in the home of real laces. Not a duplicate to be had in America. $300.

2d. A beautiful Robe of Chantilly Lace Net, handsomely covered with sequins of black. A Parisian creation. $125.

3d. Splendid example of delicate Renaissance Lace. A fine specimen of Luxueil's best workmanship. $85.

4th. A superb Paris creation of Net and finest Swiss Batiste Embroidered Lace. $85.

5th. A cream colored Escurial Lace Robe—a splendid specimen of that grand old Spanish lace which is striving for popularity—and getting it. $75.

6th. A beautiful silk Batiste Robe (grass linen in color) with incrustations of exquisite Swiss embroidery and lace. $45.

7th. Robe of Chantilly Net, incrustations of motifs of filet laces—the whole elaborately trimmed with narrow black ribbon. The color scheme is in black and white. $75.

8th. Robe of Mousseline de Soie, handsomely trimmed with black embroidery. Dainty and exquisite. $45.

9th. Robe of Pt. d'Esprit Net trimmed with narrow ribbon. $25.

10th. Robe of Pt. d'Esprit Net, elaborately trimmed with embroidered lawn. $13.50.

Men's Evening Dress.

The old way, leave measure and wait, was good enough in its time, but busy men have learned the trick of being fitted—quickly fitted—from ready-made clothes, every whit as good and perfect fitting as the made-to-measure kind.

Selling lots of Dress Suits these days. Everything that men care to wear on functional occasions.

Yes, the price is to be considered, too—lower by half than made-to-measure.

Evening Suits of crepe worsted, silk lined and silk faced to edge, $35.

Evening Suits of undressed worsted, silk lined and silk faced to edge, $40.

Tuxedo Suits of English thibet, silk lined and silk faced to edge, $35.

Tuxedo Suits of undressed worsted, satin lined and satin faced, $38.

Tuxedo Coats of crepe worsted, all silk lined, $22.

Tuxedo Coats of undressed worsted, satin lined, $25.

White for Summer Costumes.

Paris is in a quandary as to colors. Some say blue, some green, some black—but all agree that white is safe and will be very popular.

We are ready with the grandest stock of White and Cream White Woolens collected with utmost care from the world's best weavers. White will be the favorite for the younger set the coming Spring and Summer—therefore we have great pleasure in presenting this full assortment.

White Albatroses	$ .45 to $1.00 a yd.
White Mohair	.75 to 2.50 a yd.
White Serges	.65 to 1.50 a yd.
White Cheviots	.75 to 2.50 a yd.
White Etamines	1.00 to 2.00 a yd.
White Mistrals	.50 to 1.25 a yd.
White Voiles	.75 to 2.00 a yd.
White Broadcloths	1.25 to 2.75 a yd.
White Bedford Cords	1.00 to 1.50 a yd.
White Venetians	1.25 to 1.50 a yd.
White Hopsacking	1.10 to 2.00 a yd.
White Crepe de Paris	.75 to 1.25 a yd.
White Cashmere	.75 to 1.25 a yd.

In this white collection there will also be found White Silk Warp Cashmeres and the ever popular Lansdownes.

Only time for a mere mention of some of the new colored woolens—

Plain Dress Cloths for $1.25 a yard—12 new shades of Spring weight Broadcloths, 50 inches wide, 12 new Spring weight Venetians, 51 inches wide. Who knows of other fabrics so rich and beautiful for tailor-made gowns?

Newest Spring shades in Habit Venetians, 52 inches wide, $2 a yard. This is a new arrival and is shown here exclusively. Admirable for riding coats, misses' jackets and swell walking skirts.

More New Wash Waists.

If it were not the new Waists are selling just as fast as though it were outing time we should begin to think wash waists were coming to us a little strong. But as it is they are coming none too fast. These new arrivals just in:

Dotted Lawn Waists—white grounds overspread with pink, blue, red and black dots. Gibson pleats in front; plain backs; soft cuffs. $1.25.

New Waists of Polka Dot Batiste. Three tucks on each side of front to form yoke; two groups of tucks in back; soft cuffs; turn-down stiff collar. $1.25.

Plain and fancy White Waists in all the new materials and trimmings. Never had as great a range of designs or trimmings or prices. $1 to $17.

In Percale and Madras Waists we are showing all the pretty colors and all the new stripes. 50c to $4.50.

The Jacket Variety

was fortified by two new arrivals yesterday—sightly little garments to sell for $10 each. Women are sure to like them.

New fly front Eton Jackets of unfinished worsted, revers faced with black peau de soie. All lined with taffeta. $10.

Tan Covert Jackets—19 inches short—nobbiest little jacket out. Some with stitched seams, some of the seams lapped. $10.

The New Silks for Spring.

White Silks will be just as popular as White Woolens—especially for wash suits and waists. We are strong on white in the silk section of the store. But the following Silk news is general—

Monday we gave the news of Printed Satin Liberty for 75c a yard, a $1 value. We made a great showing and sold great quantities. We add three new designs to this line of Satin Liberty, just in the store yesterday from Lyons, France. A leading silk for Wash Suits and Shirtwaists is a White Ponge with a natural finish. A fine silk in every way. $1 and $1.50 a yard.

White Habutai Silk, and also evening shades in a great variety of beautiful designs, 75c a yard.

Natural color Ponges in Pompadour effects, a revival of the styles in vogue when Madame Pompadour determined the fashions, practically a new creation, 75c a yard.

White Taffeta in open work designs, extremely popular for waists, 75c and 85c a yard.

Many exclusive designs in Warp Print Broche Taffetas and Louisines also in a variety of Pompadour effects, $1.50 to $2.50 a yard.

Black Grenadines.

Great news for women who like Black Grenadines. And there are not a few.

Today Black Grenadines in new designs, for $1 a yard. They are strictly $1.25 and $1.50 values.

We could give you the story of the underprices, but presume you do not care a fig for it, so long as the Grenadines are worthy in every respect.

PENN AND FIFTH.

Maidenhood and Womanhood

At the threshold of wedded life with its cares and responsibilities, what more appropriate could a bride consider than a box of the medicine that will keep the new family in perfect health.

"I took Cascarets myself and they are fine. I also have been giving them to my children with best results."—Mrs. Davis, 412 E. Capitol St., Washington.

"Cascarets are the best medicine I ever tried. I cannot be too grateful for them."—Mrs. Ella Sanders, Fox, Mo.

"I was for a long time troubled with constipation and catarrh of the throat. Am now using Cascarets with good results and am satisfied I will be entirely cured."—Mrs. H. F. Yoomans, 453 Champlain Ave., Chicago.

"I have used Cascarets and must say they are wonderful. I recommend them to all my lady friends."—Mrs. J. H. Mayes, Chariton, Ia.

"I have a tumor which all the doctors told me could be gotten rid of in no other way than with the knife, but I think the Cascarets are shrinking it entirely."—Mrs. E. Dixon, Elsinore, Cal.

"Cascarets had strange effects in my case. I took them for worms and got rid of them. For about a year I had also suffered from my right eye continually watering. After I took the second dose of Cascarets the eye got well and has been well ever since."—Mrs. Plowman, 21 Jessie St., San Francisco.

"About a year ago I went through a very difficult operation and since then suffered from severe headaches. I tried Cascarets and the result was wonderful."—Mrs. Moses Lesee, Gilman, Conn.

There are many physical disturbances of the bodily functions connected with the change from maidenhood to womanhood, and the health and wholesome life not only of the bride, the new wife and prospective mother, but that of the new generation that is to be, depend upon keeping all operations of the digestive canal regular and natural with Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the only medicine that will do it gently yet surely without grip or gripe.

Cascarets

Best for the Bowels. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C C C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back. Sample and booklet free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y. 28

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JAPS EFFUSIVE OVER ALLIANCE WITH BRITAIN

Already See English Gold Pouring Into the Coffers of Their Country.

NAVAL PARADES PLANNED

Fleets of the Two Powers Likely to Come in Close Touch With the Maneuvering Russian Squadron In China—Credit Given to Ito.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

TOKIO, JAPAN, VIA VICTORIA, B. C., March 4.—Japan has gone wild with delight over the conclusion of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, and is only considering how best to celebrate. Until the ratification everything is in embryo, but some of the communities will not be denied the pleasure. There has been an elaborate torchlight procession at Tokio, besides the formal interchange of congratulations at a joint meeting held by the two houses of the diet, at which Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister, was present.

In various towns in Japan special celebrations already have been held or are in contemplation. The vernacular press is brimming over with cheerful forecasts of the result of the "diplomatic union." Flags are flying, and altogether young Japan is patting itself on the back.

Japan Would Like Money.

Ex-Minister of Foreign Affairs Kato touched the keynote of popular sentiment the other day, when, in a speech touching on the proper methods of receiving the news of the alliance, he said that Japan should accept her position with dignity. There should be no question of using the opportunity of asking England to aid in the introduction of foreign capital into Japan. Such a course would be like a bridegroom asking his father-in-law for money on the day of the wedding.

It would be fitting, said Mr. Kato, that Japan should signalize the occasion by sending over to the naval review to be held at Spithead during King Edward's coronation some representative warship, which would be more effective than oratory or cheap champagne in a dark corner of the empire.

Naval Demonstrations Planned.

This idea of Mr. Kato's has taken hold and today it is reported that Premier Katsura has obtained the sanction of the emperor to send a first-class battleship and a cruiser to take part in the Spithead naval demonstration.

The chambers of commerce throughout the country also are preparing to send two representative merchants to attend the coronation ceremonies.

Another feature this spring will be the joint naval maneuvers by the British and Japanese fleets in the China sea in honor of the conclusion of the alliance. The British were going to hold manuevers there anyway, and it is now proposed that the squadron will be reinforced from the Japanese fleet. As it happens, Russia is preparing to hold naval maneuvers in the same region about the same time, and the coincidence has been noted.

Credit Given to Ito.

Marquis Ito, ex-premier, who has been on a triumphal tour of the world, is expected to arrive at Nagasaki, Japan, on the 26th inst. His return will be made the signal for a marked demonstration of welcome.

Although Marquis Ito was not in London when the treaty was signed, and it is more than rumored that he was half inclined to treat with Russia for an alliance, still popular sentiment ascribes to Marquis Ito the real credit for the conclusion of the convention.

Cupid's Knot Holds Fast for Fifty Years

OVER SEVEN MILLION OF STATE MONEY IN BANKS

BALANCE FOR FEBRUARY

The Heaviest Single Deposit Is $2,450,965 64, Made in Philadelphia.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., March 4.—State Treasurer Barnett's statement for February shows a balance of $7,052,003 15 at the close of the month. This money is held by fifty banks and trust companies in various parts of the state. The heaviest deposit, $2,450,965 64, is held by the Farmers and Mechanics National bank, Philadelphia. The state depositories in Western Pennsylvania and the amount held by each follow:

Allegheny National, Pittsburgh, $678,-269 62; Freehold bank, Pittsburgh, $200,-622 12; American Trust Company, Pittsburgh, $150,000; Anchor Savings bank, Pittsburgh, $35,000; Allegheny Trust Company, Allegheny, $25,000; Citizens National, Washington, $25,000; Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Company, Allegheny, $50,000; Enterprise National, Allegheny, $307,000; Exchange National, Pittsburgh, $75,000; Farmers Deposit National, Pittsburgh, $204,000; Franklin Trust Company, Franklin, $30,000; First National, Somerset, $25,000; First National, Uniontown, $10,000; First National, Donora, $25,000; German National, Allegheny, $11,316 06; Keystone National, Pittsburgh, $75,000; Mercantile Trust Company, Pittsburgh, $70,000; Oil City Trust Company, Oil City, $25,000; Peoples Trust Company, Braddock, $20,000; Prudential Trust Company, Pittsburgh, $25,-000; Second National, Pittsburgh, $50,000; Second National, Allegheny, $186,000; Title Guarantee and Trust Company, Washington, $50,000; Union Trust Company, Pittsburgh, $60,000; Washington Trust Company, Washington, $25,000; Westmoreland Savings and Trust Company, Greensburg, $25,000.

SMALLPOX ON A TRAIN.

Victim Is at Large in Connellsville After Badly Frightening Passengers.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—People afraid of smallpox are keeping off the streets here tonight. Train No. 13 from Cumberland brought a Slav here who had every appearance of a malignant attack of the disease. He was discovered at Rockwood and from that point here he had the smoker to himself, while passengers discussed the situation in the rear coaches.

Several passengers said they knew the disease and feared the man. He left the train here and was soon lost in the crowd at the depot. Health officials are trying to find the Slav.

Train Saved From Wreck.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 4.—(Special.)—A huge rock, weighing many tons, slipped down the side of a cut near Ellenboro, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, this morning, just as a fast passenger train was due. William Ball, a farmer, saw the rock and heard the train. With his red scarf he stopped the train, so close to the rock that one minute more would have been too late.

Colliery Changers Owners.

SHAMOKIN, PA., March 4.—The Royal Oak colliery, employing 300 men and boys, indefinitely passed into the control of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company today. The plant up to last week was operated by a company composed of Scranton and Wilkesbarre capitalists, when the sheriff closed down the operation at the instigation of Scranton creditors.

Pittsburgher Elected Manager.

STEUBENVILLE, O., March 4.—(Special.)—Kenedy Cumarine of Pittsburgh has been elected general manager of the Steubenville wall paper factory, which has increased its capital stock from $35,-000 to $75,000. A large warehouse is to be built and four more machines put in, doubling the output.

GOLDEN WEDDING IS CELEBRATED

Venerable Saltsburg Couple Is Congratulated by Many Friends.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SALTSBURG, PA., March 4.—Surrounded by many of their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ewing celebrated their golden wedding today. Their pretty home had been handsomely decorated with plants and flowers and from noon until midnight there was a constant throng of friends offering congratulations to the venerable couple.

James H. Ewing was born February 1, 1825, near Jacksonville, Indiana county, Pa. At an early age he removed with his parents to near Rural village, Armstrong county. He was there married to Eleanor J. Rhea, daughter of Isaac Rhea, a farmer living near the same place, on March 4, 1852. After their marriage they went to live on a farm in the same neighborhood and in 1860 they removed to their own farm near Saltsburg, Westmoreland county. In 1890 Mr. Ewing retired from farming, moving into a handsome home in Saltsburg, where the couple have since resided.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ewing are of sturdy stock, being of Scotch-Irish descent. They have been prominent in church circles all their lives, Mr. Ewing having been for more than 30 years a ruling elder in the First Presbyterian church of Saltsburg.

Their union has been blest with nine children as follows: Elizabeth M., wife of J. A. Hawk of New Kensington; the Rev. Fr. J. C. R. Ewing, for 20 years a missionary in India, and at present professor of the Christian college at Lahore, India; John A. Ewing, for 20 years a practicing attorney of Leadville, Col.; Ira C. Ewing, who is engaged in the real estate business in Pittsburgh; the Rev. Arthur H. Ewing, Ph. D., who has been a missionary in India for 10 years, and is now located at Lodiana; the Rev. Joseph L. Ewing, who for five years was pastor of the Presbyterian church in Aspinwall and is now pastor of the Presbyterian church in Jamesburg, N. J.; Robert M. Ewing, an attorney of Pittsburgh; William Howard Ewing, who resides with his parents and who is connected with the Saltsburg Glass Company, and Miss Clara H. Ewing, a graduate nurse residing in Allegheny. All of the children are married excepting Howard and Clara. With the exception of the children and grandchildren in India, all the others were present today. The grandchildren number 15.

The celebration of this golden wedding was the social event of the winter in Saltsburg. The couple are so well known that friends came many miles to congratulate them on the long years that have passed since Cupid tied the golden knot that has bound them for a half a century.

DRUGS ARE DENOUNCED.

The Evangelical Church Convention Condemns Traffic in Patent Medicines.

HAZLETON, PA., March 4.—Proprietary medicines were today placed under the ban by the East Pennsylvania convention of the Evangelical church in session here. The resolutions condemning the use of patent medicines were presented by the committee on Sabbath and temperance and their adoption was unanimous.

The resolutions aver that the government, instead of endeavoring to check the growth of the liquor evil, appears to be pandering to its interests; that unprincipled persons, in order to get gain, make concocted compounds of so-called "sure cures," "cure-alls" "specifics," "bitters" and the like, the base of which is alcohol, or often bad whisky, which causes users to become addicted to strong drink, and that "as a church we greatly deplore these conditions and pledge our services to the support of gospel temperance."

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

AKRON, O.—Eli Frederick, a prominent resident of Doylestown, was killed last night by being thrown from his carriage.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—J. C. Ankron, a slate roofer, fell off a First ward building a distance of 45 feet, and received injuries that it is thought may prove fatal.

SHARON, PA.—Joseph Pizor, a plasterer from Ellwood City, was knocked down by two strangers in South Water street last night. His face and head were badly cut by some weapon. He was robbed of several dollars.

TORONTO, O.—Wesley, the 8-year-old son of George Brandon of New Cumberland, W. Va., found a cartridge, and a companion held a match to it. It exploded, burning the boy badly, and he will probably lose his eyesight.

THREE MINERS FALL TO DEATH FROM A CAGE

TWO DRAGGED DOWN

One Man Lost His Balance and Grasped His Companions.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MT. PLEASANT, PA., March 4.—Three miners employed at the Standard mine were instantly killed this evening in a most unusual manner. The men had finished their labor for the day and were on the cage which was conveying them to the top when suddenly the men were seen to fall.

A miner who was on the cage at the time the men were killed said that one of the men had lost his hold and in an endeavor to save himself pulled the other two miners with him.

Alex Srebe, aged 45 years, was the only name of the victims that could be obtained. A son of Srebe came to Standard this evening from Europe and arrived about the time the death of his father occurred.

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC.

Many New Cases Are Reported in Monongahela Valley Towns.

BELLEVERNON, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—This part of the Monongahela valley is still troubled with scarlet fever, which closed about half of the schools in the neighborhood a few weeks ago. Fayette City reports many cases. Vesta, just above Charleroi, has added several new cases, and Dunlevy also has cases.

Last week a child died near Beechwood park from the fever. Following the burial members of the family went to Dunlevy and mixed freely with the school children of that place. Now the school is closed and there are several victims of the disease.

Health Officer William Celder of Charleroi investigated the cases in the family of William Barress at Vesta. Ruth, aged 10, died of the disease and two other children are ill. It is feared the disease will spread further and the state board of health has been notified.

Councilman Loses His Eyesight.

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—Councilman Thomas Himkson, of the Third ward, is totally blind as the result of a strange attack. Over 11 years ago he lost the sight of his right eye and now the other eye is affected in the same manner. The loss of sight came suddenly and without warning. Himkson was at his place of business when he felt the attack coming, and remembered the experience of 11 years ago. He reached home just before he lost his sight.

Bartlett Furnace—Warm House.
J. C. Bartlett Co., 632-634 Liberty st.

PUT A PREMIUM ON PERJURY BY LEGISLATORS

Ohio Lawmakers Pass Bill Repealing Garfield Corrupt Practice Act.

FEW VOTES AGAINST IT

Original Measure Provided for Exact Statements of Campaign Expenditures—Amount to Be Spent Was Limited.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., March 4.—The house today almost unanimously voted to repeal the Garfield corrupt practice act, limiting the amount of money a candidate for office shall spend in his campaign and providing for statements of campaign expenses. There was little debate over the repealing bill, no one at all speaking against it. Those who spoke for repeal charged that the law only put a premium on perjury, and that few of the members of the legislature would be members of that body if they had filed true accounts of the money spent in campaigns. The law punished expenditures in excess of amount allowed by forfeiture of office. The bill to repeal passed with only a few scattering votes against it.

A bill providing that all state printing should bear the labels of either the Typographical Union or Allied Printing Trades Council was defeated.

It has practically been decided that the Republican state convention will be called early in June.

Joseph Blackburn, state dairy and food commissioner, is a candidate for a fourth term, and Supreme Judge Williams is a candidate for a third term, but it is said the fiat has gone forth from Washington that Secretary of State Laylin is the only present official to be renominated.

WANTS BLEVINS TESTIMONY LAID BEFORE THE PUBLIC

New Castle Councilmen Divided on Exposing Evidence Taken by Committee.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 4.—A move was made in councils last night to have the great mass of testimony relative to the murder of City Treasurer John Blevins exposed for the benefit of the public. Select Councilman J. J. Dean began the move by suggesting that, as the special committee appointed by councils to conduct the investigation would soon lose more than half its members by retirement through the expiration of their terms of office, it would be well to have a report made, which would include all testimony taken, to become a matter of public record.

Select Councilman W. E. Porter, another member of the special committee, violently objected to this course. He called attention to the fact that the testimony and facts concerning the murder were sufficient to fill five volumes of closely typewritten matter, and it would be criminal to make this public and so place it where the very people interested in covering up the murder would be able to examine it.

The discussion was participated in by a large number of councilmen, but was finally held over, as it was discovered that no quorum was present when the vote was called for. The special committee, consisting of Messrs. Dean, Porter, Aiken, Hartman and Baldwin, employed attorneys to conduct the investigation and the latter called more than 100 witnesses before them.

Watchman Found Dying.

ALTOONA, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—John A. Lindner, aged 50 years, employed as a watchman in the middle division roundhouse of the Pennsylvania railroad, this morning was found in an unconscious condition in his watchbox. He was taken to his home, where he died tonight without regaining consciousness. It is supposed he was asphyxiated.

E. W. Grove

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"I desire to speak in the highest terms of Peruna, the medicine which I believe is entitled to more praise than any other, and to the confidence and good will of every woman in America. Last winter I caught a severe cold, which settled all over me and as I at first paid but little attention to it, I soon found that it had a strong grip on me, which no medicine could cast off. I became weak and irritable, I felt nervous and mentally and physically exhausted.

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LIZZIE BRADY.

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There is no fact of medical science better established than that a teaspoonful of Peruna before each meal during the winter season will absolutely protect a person from catching cold. Now if this is true (and there is no doubt of it), thousands of lives would be saved and tens of thousands of cases of chronic catarrh prevented, by this simple precaution, within reach of everyone.

After a cold has been contracted a teaspoonful of Peruna every hour will shortly cure it, leaving no trace of it behind. After chronic catarrh has become established, or the first stages of consumption have been reached, it will take much longer to effect a cure. It seems strange that as well known as well established as these facts are that anyone should neglect to profit by them, and yet, no doubt, there are many who pay little or no attention to them and go on catching cold, acquiring chronic catarrh and consumption.

Mrs. Mary E. Sampson, West Derry, Rockingham County, N. H., writes:

"I had terrible headache, both ears run and I was nervous all the time; also had trouble each month, was dead in bed for 30 years. I took six bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin, and am happy to say that it is the best medicine that I ever used. I am not so nervous, my appetite is good, everything I eat agrees with me and I am feeling better in every way. Since I took the second bottle of Peruna my ear ceased to run. I think Peruna is a God-send to women and a blessing to suffering humanity."

MARY E. SAMPSON.

A Senator's Wife.

Mrs. Verona E. Roach, wife of United States Senator Roach, from North Dakota, says:

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200 Women's and Misses' Winter Coats, 19 to 27 inches long—colors black, blue, tan and oxford, all-silk lined; were $8.00, $10.00 and $12.00. Choice today only..... **$5.00**

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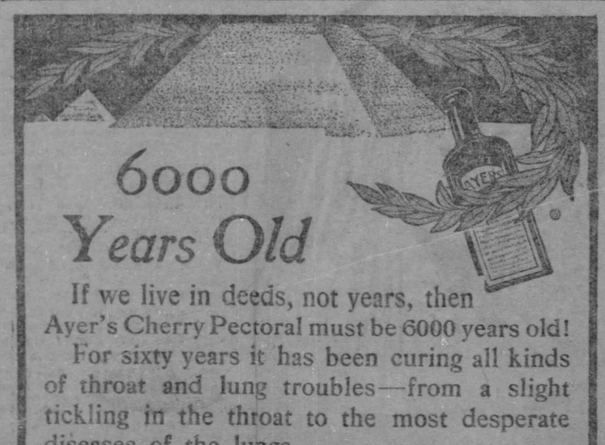
Have left just 25 Women's Long Coats, ½-fitting and Raglan styles—colors black, oxford, tan and castor; were $25.00 to $32.50. Choice while they last only..... **$15.00**



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Harrisburg Express, daily ..... 4:40 P. M.
Philadelphia Express, daily ..... 7:50 P. M.
Eastern Express, daily ..... 9:10 P. M.
Fast Line, daily ..... 9:00 P. M.
"Pittsburg Limited," daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington only ..... 10:00 P. M.
Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only.. 8:40 A. M.
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For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. 1:30, 8:05 and 10:45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 8:05 and 10:45 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m.
For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.
For Du Bois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 8:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 8:05 p. m.
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 9:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:10, 6:25 a. m., 12:45 and 4:25 p. m. week-days.
For West Brownsville and Brownsville, 10:30 a. m., 12:45 and 4:20 p. m. week-days. For Bellevernon and West Brownsville, 6:05, 8:05, 10:30 a. m., 1:05, 4:20 and 6:25 p. m. Sundays, 8:05 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. For Bellevernon only, 9:50 p. m. Sundays.
For West Elizabeth, Dravosburg and Monongahela City, 6:05, 8:05, 10:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:20, 6:25, 8:25 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 8:05 a. m., 1:05, 5:20 and 9:50 p. m. West Elizabeth and Dravosburg only, 3:25 p. m. week-days.
From FEDERAL STREET STATION, Allegheny City:
For Butler, 6:45, 8:45, 10:45 a. m., 2:10 and 6:10 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:10 a. m. and 9:30 p. m.

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PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in Effect Nov. 3, 1901.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"..	* 7:00 am	11:15 am
Youngstown & Cleve. Mail	* 8:20 am	* 9:30 am
Buffalo & Erie Express...	† 8:20 am	† 9:45 pm
L. Chautauqua Fast Line.	† 12:30 pm	† 9:45 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express...	† 3:30 pm	11:15 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex..	* 2:30 pm	* 1:00 pm
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	† 6:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo & Cleveland Exp.	† 10:20 pm	† 6:05 am
Cleve. & Youngstown Accom.	5:05 pm	* 5:10 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 6:30 am	† 5:35 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 9:00 am	† 6:40 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 11:30 am	† 9:20 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 3:30 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 4:20 pm	† 7:22 am
New Castle Express.....	† 4:20 pm	† 7:22 am
Beaver Valley Express...	† 5:20 pm	† 9:30 am
Sayette City & N. Haven	† 6:30 am	† 8:15 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	† 11:30 am	† 12:25 pm
Fayette City Express....	† 3:30 pm	† 4:30 pm
Fayette City Express....	† 8:30 pm	† 7:35 am

Trains depart for Ellwood City, 10:35 a. m., week-days, 12:50 p. m., *2:30 p. m., 4:20 p. m. Sundays, 10:30 a. m.

P. P. C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Reading and Beechmont, 10:35 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

* Daily. † Daily except Sunday.

‡ Cleveland-Chicago limited. ‖ Sundays only.

Youngstown only.

City ticket office, 351 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. R. WOOD, Gen. Pass. Agent.

J. H. RUTTER, Gen. Supt. Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago and Cincinnati...	* 2:00 am	* 7:40 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis*	1:10 am	* 1:45 am
Ft. Wayne and Chicago...	* 1:05 am	* 1:40 pm
Tiffin and Toledo.....	* 1:05 am	* 10:45 pm
Indianapolis and St. Louis*	4:50 am	* 3:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire...	* 5:20 am	* 8:40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire...	† 5:20 am	† 7:10 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago...	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
Akron and Cleveland.....	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
Alliance and Cleveland...	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 7:00 am	* 5:20 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:15 am	* 4:00 pm
Akron and Cleveland.....	* 8:15 am	* 4:00 pm
Alliance and Cleveland...	* 8:15 am	* 4:00 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire...	† 8:15 am	† 7:10 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 8:15 am	* 4:00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:15 am	* 4:00 am
Indianapolis and St. Louis*	8:40 A. M.	* 8:15 pm
Toledo and Detroit.....	* 9:30 am	* 5:00 pm
Beaver F. and N. Castle..	*10:18 pm	* 7:50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland...	*11:00 pm	* 5:40 am
Leave for Washington, P. R. R., 10:30 and 11:45 am, 12:00 am, 12:45 and 10:45 pm. Arrive from Washington, 7:15, 10:30 am, 12:00 am, 12:45 and 10:45 pm.		
Leave for Wheeling, 10:45 am, *8:20 pm, †11:50 am, 12:45 pm, 10:15 pm.		
Leave for Steubenville, *5:50 am, 12:25 pm, 12:25 pm, 4:15 pm, †10:40 pm, 11:25 pm.		
Leave for Bennington, 10:50 am, 12:35 pm.		
Leave Allegheny for East Liverpool, Steubenville and Wheeling, *7:15 am.		
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, 10:40 pm.		

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only. Time tables, tickets and sleeping car space may be obtained at 360 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield street; at Union station, Pittsburgh, and at Penn Wayne station, Allegheny.

Gen. Pass'r Agent. J. P. ROGERS, General Manager. General Pass'r Agt.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
Depot Station Smithfield and Water Streets.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.....	* 4:30 am	* 9:00 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant	* 8:30 am	* 4:45 pm
Wash., Balt. & Ft. Frederick	* 8:40 am	* 7:40 pm
Connelsv. Expr. & Fairm't	* 8:40 am	* 7:40 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant	† 8:30 am	† 9:50 am
Connellsville Accom.....	* 3:30 pm	* 1:40 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant	†12:10 pm	† 1:40 pm
Connelsv. & Mt. Pleasant	†12:10 pm	† 1:40 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.....	* 1:20 pm	* 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	* 4:00 pm	* 1:45 pm
Morgan'a, Clarksb'g and Weston.....	† 3:00 pm	†12:50 am
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Limited)...	* 6:30 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....	* 9:45 pm	* 6:10 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac..	* 7:00 am	†10:05 am
Wash., City & Ex.....	* 8:40 am	* 5:45 pm
Whg., Z'ville & Col. Ac...	* 1:00 pm	* 6:30 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling...	* 5:20 pm	* 9:50 pm
Col., Cin. & Ex.....	* 7:20 pm	* 7:45 am
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleveland Express.....	* 6:25 am	* 3:30 pm
Chicago & Cleveland.....	* 7:35 am	* 7:40 pm
Chicago Limited.....	* 7:35 pm	* 7:40 am
Akron (Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)	* 7:30 am	† 7:35 pm
Butler.....	* 9:00 am	* 5:00 pm
New Castle, Youngstown, Butler, Erie..	* 3:00 am	† 7:35 pm
Kane and Foxburg.....	* 8:00 am	* 3:30 pm
New Castle & Butler.....	* 8:00 am	* 7:35 pm
Butler.....	*10:00 am	* 3:30 pm
Butler, Greenville, Erie..	* 1:45 pm	†12:35 am
Kilwood City.....	* 1:45 pm	* 7:30 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenv'e	* 1:45 pm	†12:35 am
Butler, New Castle & Youngstown.....	* 5:30 pm	* 3:30 pm
Butler.....	* 5:30 pm	* 7:35 pm
Butler (Tue., Thur., Sat.)	* 6:15 pm	* 7:35 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect Nov. 10, 1901. (Cable Block System.)
Depart. Arrive.
Allegheny Depot. Pittsburgh.
EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

For Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut, 8:00 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

For Corry, Union City and Keystone, 8:00 a. m., 1:15 and 5:20 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A. Pittsburgh, Pa.

INSURANCE ON STORE STOCKS IS ADVANCED

Fire Writers of Allegheny County Forced to Increase Rates.

COMPANIES READY TO QUIT

Increase Necessary Because of Losses Suffered Everywhere, but Only Applies to Mercantile Stocks and Special Hazards.

The board of fire underwriters of Allegheny county yesterday afternoon to increase rates on mercantile stocks and special hazards and department store stocks 25 per cent. This increase does not touch brick and frame buildings occupied exclusively as dwellings above the grade floor, school houses or churches. A like increase has already been adopted in the middle district of the state, including all counties but Philadelphia and Allegheny.

The meeting yesterday was attended by about 75 members of class A of the association, which includes all those who have a business yielding over $5,000 a year. Charles G. Smith, secretary of the German-American Insurance Company of New York, and R. Emory Warfield of the Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool, England, members of the national board of fire underwriters, were present and explained why the increase in rates is necessary.

Reasons for the Increase.

Mr. Smith read resolutions adopted at a recent meeting of representatives of all the insurance companies in New York, including foreign companies, and irrespective of the national board of fire underwriters, in regard to the increase. The preamble recites that after considering the present condition of the country as affected by large and numerous fires which have occurred during the past three years, rendering business unprofitable and forcing the withdrawal of many companies, the opinion is unanimous that not only the good of the companies but safety of the public demands that rates be immediately and largely advanced.

Mr. Smith said this was a gigantic movement extending throughout the east and south upon which the fire insurance companies had been at work for the past two years. He declared that the companies have been for some time paying out more money than was taken in, and it was the duty of every company to strengthen policies and accumulate a surplus from which to indemnify in case of loss.

Companies Forced to Retire.

He said 33 companies retired from business last year as the result of losses, and that unless rates were increased it was probable a greater number would close up this year, which would make it possible for the remaining companies to establish whatever rates they cared to demand. He said that of the 25 per cent increase it was estimated the companies would clear probably 5 per cent, and that the balance would be absorbed in paying losses.

R. Emory Warfield also addressed the board in the same vein and urged the passage of a resolution increasing rates.

Mr. Smith after the meeting said that he considered the increase only just and equitable. He referred to the fact that in this city, while rents were increased, insurance rates remained practically the same.

"The board of fire underwriters some time ago informally discussed the necessity of increasing the rates, and then intended to make the increase on buildings as well as stock, but this was abandoned. The amount of premiums received from the entire county of Allegheny last year was, in round numbers, about $2,000,000, and under the new rates this will be increased $500,000.

Addition to "Pink Slip" Rate.

The increase of 25 per cent, which takes effect from yesterday, is in addition to the special "pink slip" rate of 20 cents per $100 in the district bounded by the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers, Grant and New Grant and Eleventh streets, which was established some time ago, until a system of water mains and fire hydrants satisfactory to the board of fire underwriters shall be provided by the city.

The increase gives great satisfaction to all fire insurance agents, for the reason that the companies they represent will not now withdraw from the city and will accept risks previously declined on account of the low rates in comparison to the hazard. One agent advised two of the companies he represents that it was probable that the rates would be increased at yesterday's meeting, and both wired him that if such was the case that they would accept policies upon a certain risk they had refused a few days before.

Losses Have Been Tremendous.

J. W. Arrott said yesterday that he did not see how the companies could do otherwise than ask for a 25 per cent increase in rates all over the country, except possibly on the Pacific coast, where conflagrations have been few and where companies have made money.

"The losses of the companies," said Mr. Arrott, "from Maine to the Mississippi river have been tremendous. The loss from fire in the United States and Canada last year was $160,000,000, or greater than the failures in business for the past three years in the same territory. What we need in Pittsburgh is better building laws to prevent fires.

"Until the fire risk is reduced by the establishment of more fire plugs and larger distributing mains down town, and more appliances suited to the height and area of the buildings are provided, it is only just that the rates should be kept up to a basis that will yield some income to the insurance companies, and I know that this has not been possible for some time past."

ON A GUM SHOE MISSION.

Edwards and Leslie, "Organization Lieutenants, Dodged About Harrisburg Yesterday.

County Register F. W. Edwards and President Max G. Leslie of common council, two "organization" lieutenants, were in Harrisburg yesterday on some mysterious mission. Edwards said they were there to meet Auditor General Hardenbergh on official business, but Hardenbergh said last night that he did not see the Pittsburghers, and that he did not believe they were at his office during the day. Chas. Stone also said he had not seen the visitors.

Attorney General Elkin was in his office during the morning, but the visitors did not meet him there. They returned to Pittsburgh on the same train with Elkin.

CAMPBELL'S.
Made Chiffon Hats at 98c.
A handsome new line of made chiffon hats, in black only, full chiffon brims with straw crowns, lined ready to trim. These hats are very popular for early spring. You are usually asked $1.50 or more for such as these that we are selling at 98c.
A pretty line of ready to wear hats in all colors and black at prices from $1.50 to $5.00.
THE PEOPLE'S STORE, 5TH AVE.

Bartlett Furnace—Warm House.
J. C. Bartlett Co., 62-634 Liberty st.

THREE CITIES, FORTY-FIVE BOROUGHS, TWENTY-SIX TOWNSHIPS. POPULATION, 726,064. AREA, SQUARE MILES, 316.22.

LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

FIFTH IN VOLUME OF BANK CLEARINGS. FOURTH IN RANK AMONG CITIES. THE WORKSHOP OF THE WHOLE WORLD.

Died in Jail—Hugh O'Leary, aged 42, died in jail yesterday. He had been sent from Rankin for five days for drunkenness.

Contagious Diseases—Nine cases of typhoid fever, one of scarlet fever and one of diphtheria were reported to the bureau of health yesterday.

Cocaine Peddler Fined—Bryant Ross was fined $10 yesterday as a suspicious person. The police say he peddled cocaine in sections of the city inhabited by the disreputable element.

Killed By a Train—Last night Charles Walters, a miner, aged 60 years, was killed near Sunnyside by a train on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. He was married and leaves nine children.

Sewers for West Homestead—West Homestead council has awarded a contract to Ott Bros. of Pittsburgh for a sewer system to be completed in three months. The price is $26,700.

Kicked an Old Woman—William Hall, who boarded with Mrs. Mary Schafer on Alexis street, was fined $50 yesterday for kicking her in the ribs. The woman is 70 years of age and is severely injured.

Fought Over a Flood—Michael Dardin and John Leonard fought because they could not agree on the height of the flood of 1884. Leonard, who was right in his statement, was only fined $1, while Dardin had to pay $5.

Traction Dispute Off—The Tarentum Traction Company will start work this week on the extension of its line north and south of Tarentum. The difficulty about the crossing at Hite, on the West Penn railroad, has been adjusted.

Town Hall Proposition—At the next meeting of Homestead council an ordinance will be presented for the issuing of $25,000 bonds to be applied to the construction of a town hall. If it passes the proposition will be presented to the people.

Elevator Boy Bumped—The elevator in the Metropolitan Insurance Company's building, West Ohio street, Allegheny, dropped from the third story yesterday. The elevator boy was badly stunned, but not seriously injured. The cable holding one of the weights broke.

Music Had No Charm—Andrew R. Lacey, apparently a tramp, tried to soften the heart of Justice McMillan of Carnegie by singing popular songs, but he was not successful and was sent to jail for 10 days. On his person was found a draft on a Boston bank for $235.

Art Society Lecture—"The Arts and Crafts Movement" is the subject of a lecture to be given tonight before the Art society in the lecture room of Carnegie institute. The lecture is the fourth in a series of six and will be illustrated by stereopticon views. The lectures are free.

Fall Was Fatal—William B. St. Clair, 65 years old, died at the West Penn hospital last night from the effects of injuries sustained on Monday by falling on the ice in front of his home and breaking his hip. He was a laborer and resided at No. 3312 Grant boulevard.

Highwayman Arrested—John Nelson, colored, was arrested at his home, No. 30 Shaffer street, yesterday. A Miss McSteen of No. 2515 Center avenue identified him as a man who caught her by the throat on the Julian street steps last Friday night and took her pocketbook containing $6.

Robbed and Shot At—George Edstrom, living at Etna, had his pocket picked of $14 on a Millvale and Etna car yesterday. He accused three men of the robbery and in the fight ensuing all four fell from the car. One of the men drew a revolver and shot twice at Edstrom and then ran away.

Smallpox on the Hill—Truby A. Dick was sent to the Municipal hospital last night suffering with smallpox. His condition is not serious. Dick is a contractor and lives at No. 649 Kirkpatrick street. His mother, his sister and the latter's husband and two children live with him. They were left in the house, which was quarantined.

Inquiry for Relatives—Robert Harwood of Gila Bend, Arizona, has asked Superintendent of Police McAleese to make inquiry for relatives of Daniel W. Donaldson, who died there last October. He was 62 years old, had lived in various parts of the west for 25 years and for a time was a blacksmith in the employ of the government. A brother lived here when last heard from.

False Pretense Charged—C. L. Robinson of Wilkinsburg was arrested yesterday on a charge of false pretense made by Charles Belfast, a wholesale nursery man. Belfast says he employed Robinson as an agent and when he delivered $200 worth of trees to persons for whose orders he had paid Robinson a commission he found the trees had not been ordered.

Second Avenue Raids—A squad of police arrested nine women and five men at No. 619 Second avenue last night. Jos. Knighton, colored, said she kept the place and designated one of the men as her husband. While making this raid a disturbance in a nearby house, out of which inmates ran screaming, attracted attention and three women and three men were arrested. Several others escaped.

Want to Stop Desertions—The police of Scranton have requested the arrest of Walensey Kneienski, living at No. 1000 Frederick street, South Side, on a charge of wife desertion. After raising a family at Scranton it is alleged he eloped to this city. The Scranton authorities complain that their city has been put to great expense of late by reason of similar cases and they are anxious to make an example of some offender in order to put a stop to these desertions.

Dillon Had Money—Lying asleep in the bottom of his wagon with a satchel full of money strapped around his waist, William Dillon, a driver and collector for Dunlevy Bros., meat packers, was found at the corner of Frankstown avenue and Broad street about 8:30 o'clock last night. When Dillon was aroused by Officers Welsh and Gaus he told them he had been out all day and drank too much. In his satchel was found $61.44, which was turned over to the representative of Dunlevy Bros.

Old Residents Dying—There were 174 deaths in Pittsburgh last week, 60 of the decedents being of foreign birth. The death rate was 19.9. Fifteen were between 70 and 80 years and 6 past 80 years. Pneumonia caused 25 deaths, consumption 17, influenza 7, bronchitis 9, typhoid fever 3, violence 8. Twenty-two died in hospitals. During the week there were reported 27 cases of typhoid fever, 19 of scarlet fever, 15 of diphtheria, and 6 of smallpox.

Cruelty to Animals—John Zanders, a Ross township dairyman, was fined $10 and costs yesterday by Alderman William S. Watson of Allegheny, on a charge of cruelty to animals made by an assistant cruelty society representative. Zanders' defense was that he had gone into bankruptcy and had no money with which to buy feed, and had accordingly allowed his stock to run loose, without food or shelter, during the recent severe weather. The society took charge of the stock.

Will Attract College Men—An unusual number of college people will be in Pittsburgh next Friday and Saturday to witness the first appearance in Pennsylvania of the Princeton University Triangle club in their original musical comedy, "The King of Pomeru," under the auspices of the Princeton club of Western Pennsylvania. Performances will be given in the Avenue theater Friday evening and Saturday afternoon. College songs and cheers will be given between the acts.

Trouble for a Millworker—Michael Godfrey, a worker in the Homestead Carnegie works, was held for court trial in $1,000 bail by Alderman John Groetzinger yesterday on a charge of bigamy made by Mrs. M. C. Dillie of 2421 Penn avenue and desertion and non-support made by his wife, Mrs. Sadie Godfrey, who lives with Mrs. Dillie. The desertion is alleged to have occurred in January, 1894. The bigamy charge is based on Godfrey's alleged marriage to Lottie Smink on January 25 last.

Maude Adams in "Quality Street"—The Alvin theater will have one of the most noteworthy and interesting attractions of the season next week, when Miss Adams presents the new comedy of J. M. Barrie, author of "The Little Minister," entitled "Quality Street." The play is in four acts and the scene is laid in England at the time of the Napoleonic wars. The supporting company includes Sydney Brough, R. Payson Carter, Joseph Francoeur, William Lewers, George Irving, Frederick Spencer, Fred Santley, Ida Waterman, Marion Abbott, Helen Lowell, Sara Perry and Sarah Converse.

NEARLY $7,000 GOES TO THE FOURTEENTH

Dissolution of Armory Association Returns to Col. Thompson's Regiment Its Private Fund.

A petition was filed in common pleas court No. 2 yesterday for a decree of dissolution for the Pittsburgh Armory and Auditorium association. Many of the subscriptions to the project were conditional, and by a report it is shown that up until the last meeting on July 20, 1901, about $100,000 had been pledged without conditions.

Attached to the petition is a list of subscribers and the pro rata share to be received by them after the expenses are deducted. The amounts range from $196 to $783.36, to be returned to the Carnegie Steel Company, and the $6,758.38 which goes to the Fourteenth regiment, N. G. P.

The money to be returned to the Fourteenth regiment is a fund raised by admirers of that popular organization about 10 years ago, during the time the late Col. P. D. Perchment commanded the regiment, as a nucleus for an armory fund. When the Armory and Auditorium association was formed for the purpose of providing adequate quarters for all the Allegheny county national guard organizations, the staff officers of the Fourteenth, who were acting as trustees for the regiment's fund, decided to turn it over to the general organization.

Surgeon Major A. Mc'I. Johnston of the Fourteenth said last night that he did not know what would be done with the fund after the regiment again secured control of it. He said the need of an adequate armory for the Fourteenth is as urgent today as it was 10 years ago when citizens contributed the money. Incidentally Major Johnston referred to the late report from Harrisburg that there is a probability that the Fourteenth is to be disbanded, and said similar reports had been in circulation for 10 years past, but that he had noticed whenever there was need for national guard men the call for the Fourteenth was usually an early one.

CITY FACES WATER SHORTAGE

Flood Covered Intake Pipes at Brilliant With Rubbish and Economy Is Being Exercised.

Pittsburgh has a water shortage, it is not serious, but it is so unusual an occurrence that city officials are discussing it with a great deal of interest. Orders were issued yesterday to wharfmasters that they must not use water from the mains for cleaning the levees. As a result fire engines will be turned out this morning to pump water from the rivers to clean away the filth left by the flood.

The tops of the intake pipes at the Brilliant pumping station were covered with mud and rubbish by the flood.

"This interferes with the pumping," said Director A. Guy McCandless last night, "so that temporarily we were not able to keep up the necessary flow of water into the reservoir, in fact, we are losing a little, so that we had to prevent the use of water from the mains. The wharves will be cleaned, however, for we will use engines to pump from the river the water needed for flushing purposes."

Thief Robs City Council Safe.

BEAUMONT, TEXAS, March 4.—(Special.)—During a recess of the city council today a thief with a hatchet broke into the safe in the council chamber, split up the cash box and took all the cash, $115.

"Children and Fools"

This is particularly applicable in cases where persons seriously troubled from the effects of coffee drinking and who take up Postum Food Coffee in its place, attempt to make the new beverage with a little hot water and two or three minutes' boiling. That sort of a "flick and a promise" produces a drink that is simply exasperating. It is flat and tasteless, whereas the person who will boil the Postum full fifteen minutes after the actual bubbling and boiling begins, will have a beverage that is something.

There is a point between twelve and fifteen minutes of boiling when the character of Postum is changed, the food value is extracted and the delicious flavor which much resembles the milder and more expensive grades of Java coffee is produced.

A lady in Salem, Ore., says: "Whenever I drank coffee at night I always passed a restless, wakeful night. Extreme nervousness and a weak stomach have followed me ever since I have been using coffee. Finally I got into such a state that my dyspepsia took the form of spasms and heart weakness.

"I suffered intensely, and when a physician was called he inquired, among other things, if I drank coffee and insisted that I leave it off. I did so and took up tea, which I found almost as bad. Finally husband brought home a package of Postum, and we tried it (strictly according to directions, for we believe in the adage that 'Children and fools judge of a thing half done').

"The new coffee was delicious and from that day until now (which is a year) it has been our only drink at meals. My dyspepsia, spasms, etc., are things of the past. My husband had suffered some years with bilious headaches and indigestion, but during the past year, on Postum Food Coffee, he has entirely recovered his health and gained much in weight. Our friends frequently comment on our improved appearance and change in complexion." Name of writer supplied by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

COMMITTEE HAS COME AROUND TO SIXTY-ACRE IDEA

Fifth Avenue Hill Site Now Favored for the Carnegie Technical School.

EXPERTS CONSIDER PLANS

Eastern Men Come and Look Over the Ground and Declare Themselves in Favor of the Contention Made by William McConway.

The committee on plan and scope of the Carnegie technical school has come over to William McConway's views regarding the size of site needed for the schools. Mr. McConway always maintained that 60 acres were needed, and he opposed the site opposite the Carnegie library in Forbes street selected by Andrew Carnegie and the members of the committee. Now comes Arthur A. Hammerschlag, consulting engineer of the New York trade school, and Arthur L. Williston, director of the department of science and technology of Pratt institute, Brooklyn, who say they are surprised that anybody ever thought of any site smaller than the one advocated by Mr. McConway.

Mr. Hammerschlag and Mr. Williston came here at the invitation of the committee, which consists of Mr. McConway, John A. Brashear, W. L. Scaife and W. A. Magee. All the committeemen but Mr. Magee visited the Allegheny industrial schools and the women's industrial school in Pittsburgh yesterday, accompanied by Clifford B. Connelly, supervisor of the Allegheny industrial schools.

Looked at Two Sites.

Mr. Hammerschlag, as spokesman for the committee, said the party had looked at the two sites already mentioned and had decided that the site on the hill back of the Hotel Schenley far surpassed the other.

"In fact we cannot conceive how any other site could be considered," said Mr. Hammerschlag, "and we are surprised at the slowness of the city in acquiring the site. Why, Mr. Carnegie gave $5,000,000 to New York for the building of branch libraries and immediately sailed away and before he had arrived on the other side the sites had practically been selected."

The committee thinks the blame for the delay in the establishment of the school belongs to the city. Mr. Hammerschlag said the committee in formulating a plan was to devise the most practicable method for bridging in the gap in the present education for workingmen's children, for securing definite practical instruction.

What the School Should Be.

The Carnegie technical school should be a school of practical education and industrial training. Mr. Hammerschlag believes, and the courses should include the various manufacturing industries in the vicinity of Pittsburgh and also building, architecture, art and design, domestic science, applied chemistry, domestic art, the other courses to be included depending again upon the knowledge of the buildings to be erected and the site to be acquired.

As to the necessity of the 60-acre site Mr. Hammerschlag said: "The Pratt institute now requires additional territory. An institution of that sort must grow or die. The Pratt institute has outgrown the limits of the three city blocks available. The Carnegie technical school in six years will have expanded and will need room for extension.

"This is an instance of the growth of the Pratt institute. Five years ago there were 25 applicants for admission into the machinery department, the next year 36 applied, the next year 86, the fourth year 136, and the fifth year 250.

No Room for More Pupils.

"We had to stop receiving new pupils, for we had no more room for them. In another department there were 223 students five years ago, this year there are 620. We can receive no more, although 1,000, altogether, wanted to get into that department. This shows how an institution will grow when it is meeting the needs of the community."

During the discussion Mr. Brashear said that Mr. Carnegie had suggested that the school buildings be only two stories high, yet the Pratt institute, with buildings five and seven stories high, now covered as much ground as the site originally selected for the Carnegie technical school. The New York training school already covered 14 of the 24 acres available, Mr. Brashear added.

Mr. Williston and Mr. Hammerschlag will return in three weeks and will then visit the steel mills of Pittsburgh. The committee is waiting for the city to buy the site. The city recorder has appointed a committee on site, but it has not yet reported.

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He said tact, which was but another term for the words "the touch," was required, and that the successful teacher must keep constantly in touch with the pupils in order to reach the hidden spring of life in them and warm their souls to the beauties of a Christian life. The lessons must be interpreted with a skill and a feeling that can only be acquired by putting one's self as near as possible in the same mood as the one who first produced it.

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DEATHS.

DENIGAN—On Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 7:55 p. m., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Conner, No. 17 Lawrence street, Millvale, MRS. DENIGAN, widow of Luke Denigan, aged 57 years. Notice of funeral later. (Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.)

FAGAN—On Sunday, March 2, 1902, at 6:30 p. m., at St. Francis hospital, JAMES J. FAGAN, in the 29th year of his age.
Funeral from the residence of his mother, Mrs. E. M. Fagan, widow of Thomas F. Fagan, 509 Lloyd street, East End, Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.)

GILL—Suddenly, on Saturday, March 1, 1902, in New York city, HARRY L. GILL, in his 36th year.
Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, 433 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

M'CUTCHEON—Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 6:30 a. m., at his place of business, No. 1518 Forbes street, HUGH M'CUTCHEON, husband of Annie M. McClure McCutcheon of Braddock, aged 49 years, 1 month, 7 days.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

M'LEAN—On Monday, March 3, 1902, at 3 p. m., SARAH THOMPSON, widow of George Cochran McLean, in her 81st year.
Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Harry T. Barker, No. 1423 Third avenue, New Brighton, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Train leaves P., F. W. & C. Ry. station, Allegheny, at 12:15, city time.

MAGEE—On Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 9:30 a. m., ELIZABETH LOUISE M'LEOD, wife of Christopher Magee.
Funeral services at the family residence, Forbes street, near Morewood avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

SNIDER—On Tuesday, March 4, 1902, at 6:30 p. m., GEORGE C., youngest son of Nicholas H. and Adaline Snider.
Funeral from the residence of his parents, 115 South 24th st., Friday, March 7, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family and members of Smoky City council, No. 119, Junior O. U. A. M., are respectfully invited to attend.

THOMSON—On Monday, March 3, 1902, at 12:30 a. m., at the family residence, 143 Zara street, Knoxville, ALEXANDER THOMSON, aged 45 years.
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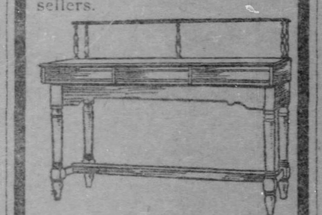

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TWELVE PAGES

The Carnegie Technological School.

The question of a site for the Carnegie Technological school is again before the people, but unfortunately not in such a way that they can decide the matter. If the people could decide it they would do so quickly and thus make available the magnificent bequest of the donor. It is needless to reiterate that there has been too much delay and that the community is suffering thereby. Not only are those for whose benefit the school is intended deprived of the advantages it would afford, but there is also the certainty that the opportunity is gradually slipping away of obtaining from Mr. Carnegie the additional sums of money that time will develop can be used to good advantage in extending the scope and usefulness of such an institution. Mr. Carnegie's liberality to the Carnegie Institute is a guarantee that he is not at the end of his benefaction to the school for which he has provided the foundation, if it is ever in shape to be given more than he has provided. But while Pittsburgh is kept waiting for a site, Mr. Carnegie is not permitting the moss to collect on his dollars, and is answering claims on his generosity in harmony with his well-known intention. There is no guarantee that he will not reach the limit of his giving before this city acts. Indeed, it is certain that he will unless something happens to expedite proceedings, for at the present rate of progress this generation and perhaps the next may have passed away before anything further has been accomplished.

The Pennsylvania and Prosperity.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania system is a record of national prosperity. The detailed statement will repay study. The Pennsylvania railroad is conservatively managed. The capital account is never robbed to pay dividends, but the dividends are always paid. The stock is known far and wide as an investment security. The regular dividend is 5 per cent, but in the past year 6 per cent was paid stockholders. This is proof of the excellent earning powers of the concerns embraced in the system, as well as of the healthy condition of general business. But while the record of the earnings and dividends is gratifying the significant part of the annual statement is the record of expenditures for permanent improvements made during the year and the promise of vaster expenditures that are contemplated. These furnish the evidence that men trained to read the future see nothing on the horizon threatening the prevalent prosperity, but much to show that it will continue and increase. There is reason in this connection for satisfaction that the needs of "the district of which Pittsburgh is the center" are recognized in the declaration that "the most liberal expenditures will be necessary to enable your company to handle promptly and effectively the freight traffic originating and concentrating at that point." This is equivalent to promise of improvements and the report indicates that they are to be in addition to the betterments under way, and to be extended to all lines of the system centering in Pittsburgh. While this promise for the local district is of immediate concern, the prospective entry of the Pennsylvania railroad into New York city is hardly second to it in importance to Pittsburgh. The prospective entry into New York and the promised Pittsburgh improvements are the principal items on which local business interests may build their hopes for the future, but they do not stand alone, for all over the Pennsylvania system preparations are being made to handle a traffic greater than anything dreamed of previous to the experiences of the past years. It would appear from the signs that, instead of being in the midst of a period of business expansion we are only on the eve of it, and that the Pennsylvania management is hastening to be in readiness for it. The unsatisfied demand on the industries of the Pittsburgh district is a large justification of this view and it is the right reading of such demands that impels the Pennsylvania to prepare for greater business by spending millions for betterments. It is additional satisfaction that much of the money expended will find its way into the currents of trade through orders placed with Pittsburgh manufacturers.

The report of operations for the past year is condensed into the following statement: The gross earnings of all lines east and west of Pittsburgh were $198,626,878; operating expenses, $133,713,386, and net earnings, $64,913,491, the increase in gross earnings over 1900 being $23,300,524 and in net earnings $10,175,414. The tons of freight moved were 243,408,035, an increase of 24,331,538 tons, and 104,471,301 passengers, an increase of 20,794,855.

Increase in Insurance Rates.

No advance is welcomed by the purchaser and the man who buys insurance is no exception to the rule. Insurance rates have been again advanced in Pittsburgh and there seems to be nothing to do but grin and bear it. Pittsburgh is not the first city to be affected by this new increase, for it is general throughout the east. This city is, however, the victim of circumstances is being handicapped with an earlier advance that will make the burden of this general advance the harder to bear. The new advance is defended by the insurance companies as "not only for the good of the companies, but for the safety of the public," the proportion of losses to premiums throughout the country having become so great that a grave situation has developed. The special increase that afflicts Pittsburgh is due to removable conditions, but this new advance is the result of general conditions and there is no promise of relief from them. The companies assert in effect that it is necessary to raise the rates if they are to remain solvent, and it is much better to pay a high rate to a solvent concern than a low rate to one that can not make good when called on. The redeeming feature of the increase is that it applies to "special" risks and not to all classes of property.

Historic Guns for Pittsburgh.

The adoption by the senate of Representative Dalzell's resolution practically assures to Pittsburgh the historic guns which have so long been lying in the Pittsburgh arsenal. The resolution has passed both branches of congress and doubtless will soon be approved by President Roosevelt. In order to conform with the laws governing such relics, the guns are to be "loaned" to the Sons of the Revolution, but really they are to find a permanent resting place in the museum connected with Pittsburgh's Carnegie institute, there to be put on public exhibition. The success of the efforts to retain here these trophies of the revolutionary and other wars is gratifying to Pittsburghers, and particularly to The Gazette, which was largely instrumental in bringing about this result. A representative of this paper found the old cannon among the obsolete ordnance at the arsenal, and editorially and in other ways The Gazette urged that they be secured for Pittsburgh. This has been accomplished, and citizens and visitors to the city will soon have an opportunity for viewing these reminders of American prowess on the battlefields of long ago.

Paterson's Trials.

Although it is believed that the damage done by floods to Paterson will not be so serious as was at first supposed, the destruction wrought by the deluge of waters that overwhelmed the hapless city will amount to millions of dollars. Only three weeks ago the commercial center of Paterson was wiped out by fire. The citizens had hardly begun strenuously to rebuild the banks, warehouses, stores and public institutions when this unexpected inundation came rolling in like a tidal wave to quench hope with discomfiture. Although the danger is not yet over, the waters are believed to be receding, and what ruin has already been wrought will not, it is to be sincerely hoped, be accentuated by additional calamities. Paterson is the center of a large manufacturing trade. Although its merchants, manufacturers and citizens generally have been sorely tried, they are determined to rise superior to their misfortunes.

The debris brought in by the flood has practically replaced that which had been cleared away after the fire. Although the loss of property has been incalculable, unhappily the misfortunes of the people have been still further increased by a lamentable loss of life. Twenty-three people are known to have perished, and perhaps the bill of mortality is still heavier. Thousands of operatives who are not in a position to bear it have been thrown out of employment indefinitely. Still, Paterson is determined to maintain the brunt of her calamities without directly appealing to outside help. While this shows admirable American pluck, it as a principle that should not be pushed too far in this hour of trial. While the fire was practically confined to the property of those who could in a measure sustain it, the flood was general throughout the city, submerging and damaging the homes of the poorer classes of citizens. If Paterson needs help she will be aided generously, and there is no reason why her pride should be wounded in accepting it.

Roosevelt Will Go to Charleston.

President Roosevelt has promised the citizens of Charleston who went to see him about it that he will visit the fair, but it is doubtful if Lieut. Gov. Tillman can be brought to view this decision with approval. Nothing has been heard from the nephew of Tillman primus since he informed the president of the United States that he was not a fit person to hand to Maj. Micah Jenkins a sword carrying a quotation from Roosevelt's own commendation of the officer. Presumably a lucid interval has returned to him and he is wondering how he came to make such an exhibition of himself, but he has not expressed regret. If he be possessed of any sort of sensitiveness, the junior Tillman must keenly feel the difference of opinion between himself and those other South Carolinians who besought the president not to think of remaining away from their state. South Carolina has rebuked the Tillmans in fine style by this earnest repetition of the invitation to President Roosevelt, and the sincerity of their rebuke will be put to the test when they have opportunity to select the successors to the truculent Tillmans.

Our compliments to the Press. The offer of the promoters of the elevated railroads was, as it states, to pay the city 5 per cent of the net receipts of the enterprise. The statement in these columns that the offer was 5 per cent of the gross receipts was merely a slip of the pen. It was the opponents of the elevated roads that demanded that the tax be made not less than 5 per cent of the gross receipts. If The Gazette has called attention to the matter at this time it is merely to impress the fact that street railway franchises are not less valuable now than when the demand was made on the "L" road promoters. The grants asked at this time by the traction companies afford an opportunity for a settlement of the whole question of taxation of traction lines, and if it is not taken advantage of it will be more difficult to effect a settlement later. The new councils would undoubtedly settle this matter right, but it is no less the duty of the present councils to settle it right or leave it for the action of those who will.

The effort of a New Jersey legislator to dissolve the Northern Securities Company looks like a crack at the very profitable home industry of charter making.

By removing Collector Ivey of Sitka, President Roosevelt sat down hard on Ivey's particular method of twisting the lion's tail.

George Fred Williams of Massachusetts apologizes for Benjamin Ryan Tillman. George Fred knows what it is to need a defender.

The governor of Illinois has beaten the entire gubernatorial collection with the earliness of his Arbor day proclamation.

It must discourage St. Louis to notice that Chicago catches the prince coming and going.

The Etruria's passengers receive several days' extra board for their money.

The Charleston exposition has hastened to declare itself free of Tillmania.

The prince felt at home in Milwaukee.

Mr. Schwab's $2,500 Pudding.

From the London Express.

Steel Trust President Charles M. Schwab has ordered a beefsteak pudding for 100 American millionaires.

It is likely to be the costliest beefsteak pudding in the world. Mr. Schwab has agreed to pay $500 for it.

On the day after his audience with the king Mr. Schwab visited the old "Cheshire Cheese," and was made glad by a liberal portion of the famous pudding. Subsequently he talked business in blunt American fashion.

"That's a famous pudding," he said to the manager. Mr. Moore admitted that it was.

"How many persons can you feed with one of them?" Mr. Moore made a quick calculation and mentioned two persons.

"Good," replied Mr. Schwab. "One pudding—100 millionaires. I'll give you £500 to bring one of those puddings to the states and carve it at a dinner in a New York clubhouse."

Mr. Moore asked for time to consider the proposition, and Mr. Schwab left after assuring him that he offer would stand.

The steel trust president afterward confided to an American friend at the Carlton hotel that he would give such a dinner as his fellow-millionaires across the Atlantic never sat down to. Then would follow sack and other delicacies of a bygone age, but, best of all, the famous pudding.

Mr. Moore is sending Mr. Schwab a quantity of the old stock—worth a guinea a bottle—and a pudding.

Patrons of the Cheshire Cheese are protesting vigorously against this latest American invasion. Let Mr. Schwab continue to sell rails, they say, and, if need be, capture British market, but in common courtesy let him keep "hands off" their cherished pudding rights.

Big Stone That Might Have Fallen.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Commissioner McGregor discovered on Tuesday that the stone which is a part of the emblematic coat-of-arms decorating the great dome of the court house in Indianapolis, Ind., was loosened from its fastenings and hanging as it by a thread at a height of 80 feet above the floor. The stone is suspended over the point on which all speeches are made, and thousands of people pass under it daily. The entrance was closed and preparations made to secure the stone, which weighs several tons.

Twenty-ninth streets. The young man that cannot to anything are not making dust holes of their noses to any great extent. There may be sporadic cases of snuffers, but most of them are content to leave the indulgence in "sneezing" to the fellows who live at the rate of a million a year for ten minutes in the evening and live behind a drygoods counter in daylight.

The Kansas Hero in Town.

That brave little man, Gen. Frederick Funston, is here. He was the center of attraction today when he appeared in the lobby of the uptown hotel in which he is staying temporarily. He is affable in manner and willing enough to talk about his experiences in the Philippines. The general is scheduled to meet President Roosevelt in Washington on Thursday and is to speak at a dinner at the Lotus club here on Saturday.

American Sculpture on Boer War.

The Henry Bonnard foundry in this city is making the first memorial to the British dead in the Boer war. It is a bronze statue of a British soldier in action, 12 feet high. Hamilton McCarthy of Canada is the sculptor. The statue will be set up at Halifax, N. S.

Flood and Strike Bother Telephone.

Wires leveled by the storm are going up slower than would be the case over in New Jersey were it not that the telephone linemen's strike is not dying out. On the contrary it is spreading. There is probability of a conference between the strikers and the telephone companies in a day or two. Many of the poles in Jersey are still under water, so that the linemen could not do much work, anyhow. As soon as the conditions improve it is more than likely that the difficulty will be adjusted. At present it gives the linemen something to talk about and does no one much harm.

Troupe for Tottie Coughdrop.

Here is more trouble for the dainty pink chorus girl and the haughty prima donna of comic opera. At the Casino an order has been put forth by the management that carriages and automobiles belonging to members of the company must stop at least 100 feet from the stage door. It has been found that Tottie Coughdrop's auto has been getting in the way of the Astorbilts' equipage until the big policeman on the corner does not know which is which; so the lovely Tottie and her sisters of the footlights will have to drop down the sidewalk 100 feet away and trip the rest of the distance to the stage door. This will be not so bad on fine evenings, but the weather man says a snowstorm is coming.

New Musical Freak.

The latest song to catch the errant fancy of the Broadway wanderers when the electric lights are on is "My Princess Zulu Lulu." It was sung by Harry Bulger last night in "The Sleeping Beauty," and tonight it is whistled and hummed from Longacre to the ruins of Herald square. Dave Reed, Jr., is charged with being the author.

A Hospital War on Cats.

There was a round-up of cats at Bellevue hospital today. Seventeen cats were caught and sent away to the place where they are sympathetic strays, cats and dogs in the name of humanity. The grounds about Bellevue are very extensive, and there have been at least 100 wandering cats there. Some of them have become so bold that they make their way into the wards and steal food from the patients, and all of them have made a practice of yowling lustily at night. This is not a pleasant thing for a hospital, and the superintendent organized a hunting party today. He says he will have all the cats out, and then begin afresh with a choice troop of animals that have reputations as mousers.

President Shaffer in the City.

It was like old strike times to see President Theodore Shaffer of the Amalgamated association dodging out of the Stevens house and into the Battery park building, with a long line of newspaper men at his heels. Shaffer was just as mysterious today as he used to be a year ago, but would always talk when cornered. He was cornered two or three times today, and although he did not say anything of much importance, he was good-humoredly willing to talk when pressed. There is a lot of diplomacy in the mental makeup of Theodore Shaffer, and he has it always on tap.

Park Project Up Again.

Again the project to turn Blackwells island into a park comes up. Some months ago there was a proposition to do away with the grim penitentiary and other municipal buildings on the "island" and to occupy the place as a naval station and park. The United States government had expressed its willingness to lease the island, but the project was dropped. State Senator Slater today introduced a bill in the senate giving power to the sinking fund commission of the city of New York to lease the ground. Rear Admiral Taylor, representing the federal government, says that if the island is leased it will be laid out as one of the most beautiful public parks in the country. A naval museum and statues of naval heroes will be among the features. This would be a change, indeed, for Blackwells island, in spite of the fact that it has a great deal of greensward even now.

Enlarging Hotel Capacity.

The Imperial hotel, a favorite resting place of Pittsburghers visiting New York, is to be enlarged forthwith. The annex to be built will be 12 stories high, and the hotel will occupy the entire block on Broadway from Thirty-first to Thirty-second streets. I mention this hotel because Pittsburghers know it so well. There are half a dozen other big hotels going up within a few blocks of Herald square, too. And still New York will not have more hostelries than she needs. Like Pittsburgh, this city seems unable to get enough hotels, build she ever so many.

Tillman-McLaurin Tilt of Alderman.

There was a good old row in the board of aldermen today, and Alderman Bridges was in the thick of it. No one knows what the difficulty was about, but a number of honorable gentlemen called other honorable gentlemen "liars," and Alderman Bridges found himself called to order before he had time to shake his fist in the face of the president more than a half minute. There have been some pretty lively times in Pittsburgh's council chambers, but if you want to see a real Donnybrook fair kind of a tilt in legislative halls, come down and take a look at the New York board of alderman some afternoon when they are fairly a-going.

Show Feats of Fire Laddies.

A number of officers of the Hohenzollern were introduced to the New York fire department today. They inspected the apparatus at headquarters and saw how quickly one of the companies could respond to an alarm. In the course of the exhibition given for the benefit of the German sailors, a fireman jumped from a height of 80 feet into a fire net, breaking the record. The fireman's name was Flanagan. And he says the jump did not turn a hair.

Marconi Keeping Up to Date.

Marconi hinted today that he is working busily on his wireless telegraphy, when he said that the instruments on board the Etruria were old ones which would not carry more than 100 miles. He intimates that if the Etruria had had a later pattern of wireless telegraphy she might have been able to speak direct to the mainland. As it was, the only chance was to communicate with some other vessel having instruments, and thus, by relay, get to shore. Meanwhile, there is much anxiety about the Etruria, which seems to be helpless, although not in any great danger. Her passengers will all get ashore, even if they have not done so already. When the Etruria will reach New York, however, is problematical. She is so familiar in this harbor that New Yorkers feel as if an old friend had gone astray.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

These Pittsburghers are registered at New York hotels:

NORMANDIE.
L. C. Wood and wife.
MARLBOROUGH.
George D. Kelly.
HERALD SQUARE.
Robert E. Hudnut. Lewis R. Mierrya.
IMPERIAL.
H. G. Austin. Charles W. Scovel,
W. M. Wood. J. D. Coleman.
VICTORIA.
M. P. Clinton. P. B. Painter.
ASTOR.
C. Lefevre. T. A. Warren.
HOLLAND.
Mrs. Richard Jennings. J. H. Stewart.
Miss Rebecca Jennings. James J. Campbell.
Miss Mary Jennings. Wm. Walker and wife.
H. I. Riley and wife.
UNION SQUARE.
J. Gross. F. Scalberg.
STURTEVANT.
E. Kobler. M. J. B. Ray.
F. Goana.
MANHATTAN.
W. G. Carr.
ALBEMARLE.
H. E. Henderson.
FIFTH AVENUE.
L. S. Sands, Jr.

GOTHAM AWAKES TO THE NEW PERIL OF CELLULOID

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
March 4.

Celluloid is the menace to New York that is causing worry now. Having become used to dynamite explosions in the subway, burning hotels tumbling about our ears, and tremendous floods washing away everything that will float, we are told that there are many tons of celluloid stored in thickly-settled parts of the city, and that the stuff may blow up at any moment. The fact that celluloid will explode when heated to a certain temperature, is generally known. Combs have a way of flashing and snapping solemnly as they repose in the hair of some fair maidens, and more than one "steady company" has been dismayed by sudden fireworks in the coiffure of his sweetheart. But something worse than an explosive comb was experienced in this city yesterday. A celluloid factory burned down as the consequence of an explosion and lives were lost. The calamity came so quickly, and was so irresistible, that nothing could be done to save the lives which were sacrificed. The proprietor of the factory is quoted as saying that there are several other factories of the same kind in New York, in any of which such a disaster as took place in his establishment is possible. In addition to this, the factory manager said that his place had not been inspected by the fire department in three years, and he also imparted the cheerful information that there were no fire escapes in the rear of his building. This, in face of the fact that he employed a number of men, women and children upstairs. He said that some of the men in the business buy their celluloid in quantities ranging from half a ton to two tons, and that it is stored long enough to be dangerous to human life. It is remarkable that as the different horrors in New York come to the surface, one by one, it is shown that neglect in public departments is by no means uncommon. It looks as if the reform administration now in control of municipal affairs can find plenty to do in trying to make life in this city only comparatively safe.

Weather Favors Pittsburgh Orchestra.

George H. Wilson, manager of the Pittsburgh orchestra, was in high good humor today. He remarked to me that he could hardly believe the weather was to be good this evening, for he had begun to think that New York could not have anything but snow and sleet and slush at this time of the year. But tonight the concert of the Pittsburgh orchestra had the advantage of excellent weather, and the long line of carriages at Carnegie hall at 8 o'clock gave token that the clear sky and dry pavements were factors in the box office success of the entertainment that must not be despised. "I do believe we are going to have a fine evening," remarked Mr. Wilson about 7 o'clock and he was right. The last previous concert of the Pittsburgh orchestra in New York was given in a blizzard that was enough to frighten away from Carnegie hall even a Pittsburgher.

Legal Status of Race Betting.

In a decision handed down today by Justice Clarke of the supreme court persons who "play the ponies" were reminded once more that betting is illegal when on the race track. The only difference between that method of wagering money and betting in a pool room is that the latter is a criminal act, while in race track betting the only penalty is the inability of the winner to obtain his money with the aid of the courts in case the loser should refuse to pay.

Father Despairs of His Son.

Jacob Frank, leader of an orchestra, who has played in Pittsburgh more than once, was a sad man today. He appeared in the Harlem police courts and saw Magistrate Mott send his son Emil to the workhouse for six months as an habitual drunkard. The father said he had spent $25,000 in trying to reclaim his son, but was convinced it is an impossible task. The incident in the police court was merely a silhouette of metropolitan life—a little sadder than usual, that was all.

Willie Boy Takes to Snuff.

Snuff-taking is increasing among the gilded youth of the Tenderloin. It has been said that the habit is gaining ground with the young men whose homes are in Fifth avenue and whose families are those best known as representatives of what is known as the Knickerbocker stock. This is not the fact so far as can be observed. The chaps that thrust the fragrant stuff up their nostrils are the element that one meets lolling up and down Broadway on fine evenings, or dropping into one of those parlors with the romantic names in Twenty-eighth and

THE MAN UP A TREE

From a High Viewpoint.

There were enough floods to go round. The floods in Vermont did not injure the maple sugar crop.

Strange to say, the flooded Winooski river is not in Russia, but in Vermont.

The lower Ohio always knows what it will get, after Pittsburgh was been soaked.

King Edward's coronation will cost $20,000,000, exclusive of the money that Americans will spend to see the affair pulled off.

Prince Henry has not yet told us how Kentucky corn juice compares with German champagne.

At Milwaukee the Herr Prinz temporarily interrupted his study of Americans to see what Germany looked like, for a change.

The influenza germ has got to London in plenty of time to participate in the coronation.

The writer of a poem in one of the magazines spells her front name "Sharlot," without explaining whether this is a new wrinkle in feminine name-spelling or whether it was put that way on her certificate of baptism.

Gathering for the Show.

Dog days are coming early in Pittsburgh this year.

War News From Africa and England.

The man who used to hear things off Mole St. Nicholas probably sent the following wierd yarn to the newspaper in the French colony of Pondicherry, in which it appeared:

Gen. Buller stood in a humble and suppliant attitude before Gen. Dewet. Greatly moved by this heartrending scene, Gen. Dewet asked Buller if he had anything to say. Then Gen. Buller replied in these words: "Sir, I am a poor man. I entangled myself in this war owing to my inability to bear the worry of the British government. Grant me my life and I will quit." Buller was thereupon released. Gen. French, however, was shot, after having broken his parole. King Edward, it is reported has given analysis to three thousand runaways from the British army, to keep up appearances, but the British money chest is so low that the government now robs London residences by night.

The Probable Object.

"Do you know," said Mrs. Homewood, in her impressive manner, "that while Signor Marconi was on his way across the ocean he signaled a distance of 2,099 miles?"

"I read something of that," replied Mr. Homewood.

"How do you suppose the distance was ascertained so closely?"

"Oh, I don't suppose it was measured to a mile like that. The distance was probably over 2,100 miles, but was marked down into the nineties to make you women believe it."

While Prince Henry's Visit Lasts.

Smoke only "Hoch der Kaiser" tobies.
Drink nothing but Prince Henry beer.
Fill yourself with Herr Prinz prunes.
Play on the Royal German Emperor banos.
Use no paint but Prussian blue.
Wear standing Hohenzollern collars.
Give your mustache the upward Wilhelm tilt.
All the Smiths will please call themselves Schmidt for the present.
Nothing but the german should be danced.
Pork sausage must give way to Frankfurters.
The style in dogs should run to elongated dachshunds.
For the time consult "The Watch by the Rhine."
Instead of home made doughnuts eat the pretzels of commerce.

POINT BREEZE.

Two Royal Appointments.

LONDON, March 4.—The duke of Bedford has been appointed a knight of the Order of the Garter, vice Karl Fitz-William, who died February 20, and the marquis of Waterford has been appointed a knight of the Order of St. Patrick, vice the marquis of Dufferin, who died February 1.

PLANS FOR MEETING WILL BE CONSIDERED

Arrangements for Convention of American Association for the Advancement of Science.

A meeting of the committees appointed by the different institutions and societies of Pittsburgh to arrange for the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science has been called for next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The meeting will be held in the lecture room of the Carnegie institute and its principal object will be to form a permanent organization. Director William J. Holland of the Carnegie museum will that day send out letters to the members of the various committees notifying them of the meeting.

Dr. Hurd was yesterday notified by Dr. O. Howard, secretary of the association, that he will visit Pittsburgh toward the latter part of March to confer with the general committee on arrangements.

Recorder J. O. Brown has expressed his intention and desire to heartily cooperate with the committee on arrangements and is enthusiastic for having the meeting of the society in Pittsburgh next June as one of the most successful ever held.

All the committees have been appointed but those from the chamber of commerce and Pittsburgh and Allegheny councils. The names of the members of the various committees thus far appointed are:

Carnegie Institute—W. N. Frew, Robert Pitcairn, Col. S. H. Church, C. C. Meller, John B. Jackson, George M. Clapp, Dr. W. H. McClave, M. G. Leslie, W. McCreery, Joseph R. Woodwell, H. K. Porter and J. M. Clarke.

Trustees of the Western University of Pennsylvania—The Hon. J. H. Reed, L. W. Scaife, William McConway, D. H. Wallace and Benjamin Thaw.

Faculty of the Western University of Pennsylvania—Daniel Carhart, Albert E. Frost, Frances C. Phillips, S. M. Kintner, R. T. Stewart, the Hon. John D. Shafer, James C. Gray, Dr. J. C. Lange, Dr. E. G. Matson, Dr. G. L. Simpson, Dr. W. H. Pundenberg, Dr. Julius Koch and Dr. Adolph Koenig.

Engineers' society of Western Pennsylvania—Charles F. Scott, George A. Macbeth, H. W. Fisher, Emile Swenson, James M. Camp, A. G. McKenna, J. O. Handy and Dr. R. F. Stahl.

Western Pennsylvania Botanical Society—Dr. William R. Hamilton, the Hon. William M. Kennedy, Prof. B. F. Patterson, James J. Booth and William Falconer.

Faculty of the Pittsburgh College of the Holy Ghost—The Rev. M. A. Hoblr, the Rev. P. A. McDermott, the Rev. Thomas Giblin, the Rev. Francis A. Danner and Prof. James R. Campbell.

Twentieth Century club—Miss Annie S. Phillips, Miss Mary L. Jackson, Mrs. George A. Macbeth, Mrs. William H. Mercur, Miss Kate C. McKnight, Miss Julia Morgan Harding, Mrs. W. J. Holland, Mrs. W. N. Frew, Mrs. Robert M. Childs and Miss Alice M. Thurston.

Dolly Madison Chapter, United States Daughters of 1812—Mrs. Joseph W. Marsh, Mrs. Charles Jenkins, Miss Fanny Mumford, Mrs. W. H. Stotler and Mrs. Robert S. Reineman.

Pittsburgh Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution—Mrs. Samuel McAmmon, Mrs. Moses Atwood and Mrs. William H. Balfour.

Academy of Science and Art of Pittsburgh—Alexander Dempster, Dr. G. W. Allyn, Prof. C. P. Cushman, Dr. Matthew Hay, Dr. Matthew Kegley, F. F. Hecla, Prof. H. C. Pearson, Prof. Edward Robertson and William Scott.

GREETING FOR MISS M'KNIGHT

Allegheny Board of School Controllers Gives Hand of Fellowship to First Woman Member.

When Miss Kate C. McKnight entered the meeting of the Allegheny board of school controllers last night she was greeted with great applause. She was a little late and the other members had a good look at her as she walked to her seat. Miss McKnight blushed, bowed gracefully, took her seat and sat through the entire meeting, a silent but interested spectator of the proceedings. Miss McKnight is the first woman ever elected a school controller in Allegheny. President D. B. Oliver made a speech welcoming her and at the close of the meeting every member of the board pressed forward and shook hands with her.

The meeting, the first of the new board, was organized by the re-election of Mr. Oliver as president and George W. Gerwig as secretary. Harry B. Naylor was named as chairman of the committee on public library. The chairman of other standing committees will be named by the president at the next meeting.

The report of the committee on high school recommended, first, that the normal school pupils receive an additional week of consecutive teaching in the advanced grades instead of the same amount of practice at irregular times, and second, that the graduates of the normal department, who had not secured regular positions, be allowed to substitute until elected, to avoid interruption of the work of the regular class.

A. C. Latimer, in opposing the adoption of the report, said it was the intention to foist on the ward schools second and third rate teachers. Mr. Latimer's motion referring the report back to the committee was adopted by a vote of 42 to 16.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEES.

President McKelvy of Central Board of Education Makes Selections Known.

President W. H. McKelvy of the central board of education yesterday announced the following standing committees:

Finance—Fox, McCarey, Cameron, Hagemann, McEwan, Sellers and Whitmore.

High school—Wilson, McKain, Easton, McElroy, Letsche, Harper, Gillespie, Roth and Geyer.

Text books and course of instruction—Gosser, Longear, Brophy, Flemming, Kelly, Peddar, Schwartzwaelder, Brobach and Clinch.

Teachers and salaries—Pollock, Stouffer, Auf der Heide, Fullerton, Pollitz, Lauffer, Riefel, Rebele and McGrew.

Kindergartens—McCutcheon, Gillespie, Gosser, Longear and Riefel.

Industrial schools—McCarey, Geyer, Sellers, Brophy, McGraw, Fox, Clinch, Whitmore and Easton.

Books and supplies—Pollock, Brophy, Harper, McClaine and Roth.

Evening schools—Sellers, Kelly, McEwan, Fullerton, McGraw and Rebele.

Music—Schwartzwaelder, Flemming, Cameron, Longear, Lauffer, Clinch and Pollitz.

Vacation—Stouffer, McKain, McGraw, Brobach, Gosser and Hagemann.

Printing—Whitmore, Auteneide, McGrew, McCarey, Riefel, Fullerton and Schwartzwaelder.

Rules and regulations—McKain, Brophy, Kelly, Lauffer and Pedder.

Laws and legislation—Messrs. Letsche, Wilson, Gillespie, Flemming and McEwan.

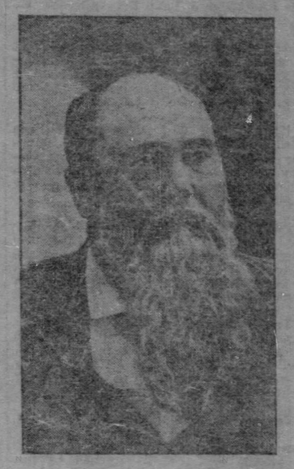
Compulsory education—McElroy, Fox, Cameron, McCutcheon and Hodgins.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Isaac Mills, Jr.

Isaac Mills, Jr., a former burgess of Braddock, and son of the first burgess of that borough, died yesterday morning at the family residence in Braddock avenue. Mr. Mills contracted a cold some months ago which developed into pneumonia about a week ago. Mr. Mills was the oldest member of the third generation of the family. His ancestors came from England almost two centuries ago. His grandfather was the first of the family to be identified with Western Pennsylvania's history. He was Stephen Mills, who came west in 1817. He settled on the Troy farm, which included all the territory now known as City Farm, Rankin, North Homestead and the Twenty-second ward of Pittsburgh.

Isaac, Jr., was born on New Year's day, 1833. He remained on the farm with his brothers until the civil war broke out, when he joined Company A, Sixty-third regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer infantry, and left the service at the end of his three-year term as lieutenant. His father and grandfather before him had been soldiers, and a brother was left on the battlefield. He returned to Braddock in 1864, and was married on December 5, 1864, to Mary E. Nichols, daughter of David Nichols, a pioneer merchant of Braddock. To the union seven children were born, six of whom are living. After the war Mr. Mills settled down to the quiet of a farmer's life again until about 1872, when he engaged in the builders' supply business in Liberty avenue, Pittsburgh. He continued the business for a number of years and then started a book and general news store in Braddock avenue, which



Isaac Mills, Jr.

he owned until he retired, 15 years ago.

Isaac Mills, Jr., was elected burgess of Braddock in 1885. In politics he was a Republican, and was once a candidate for the office of sheriff of Allegheny county. He was a member of Mac A. M. Harper post, No. 181, G. A. R., of Braddock. He is survived by his widow and six children—Charles F., foreman in the 128-inch mill of the Homestead Steel works; Mrs. Alice Hays, wife of John Hays, a manufacturer of fine steel specialties at Homestead, formerly chemist at the Homestead and Edgar Thomson Steel works; Edgar T. Mills, cashier of the Braddock National bank and treasurer of Braddock borough; Arthur N., real estate agent; Ralph J. and Henry C., who are at school. Mr. Mills is also survived by two brothers and two sisters—Mrs. Helena E., wife of C. C. Lobinger of Fitzgerald, Ga.; Mrs. Rachel A. Clay, James K. Mills and Stephen D. Mills, brick manufacturers of Braddock. Mrs. Hays was driving on the Pacific coast when notified of her father's death, and is expected to arrive home tomorrow.

Mr. Mills' remains will be interred in the vault, where rest the ancestors of the family, located in Monongahela cemetery.

Mrs. Christopher Magee, Sr.

Mrs. Elizabeth Louise Magee, wife of a former well-known judge of the Allegheny county courts, died yesterday at the family residence, Forbes street, near Morewood avenue. She had been ailing for the past year from heart trouble, to which her death is attributed. Mrs. Magee was a daughter of the Rev. John Neil McLeod, a prominent divine of New York, and a granddaughter of Dr. Samuel Brown Wylie of Philadelphia, who was at one time vice president of the University of Pennsylvania. She was born in New York city about 76 years ago. In 1850 she married Judge Christopher Magee and came to Pittsburgh, where she had since resided. Mrs. Magee was one of the oldest members of the Shadyside Presbyterian church, and was well known in church and charitable circles. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Attorney Christopher Magee, Jr., and Walter P. Magee. The funeral services will be held at her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with the Rev. Richard S. Holmes, D. D., as officiating clergyman.

Elijah Stewart.

BEAVER, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—Elijah Stewart died at his home here this morning from typhoid fever, aged 58 years. He was born in New Sewickley township, and was the youngest son of Mrs. Rachel and the late Elijah Stewart, Sr. Eight years ago he was united in marriage with Miss Margaret Wickham, sister of the late Judge John Wickham of the superior court of Pennsylvania. He is survived by his widow and one son, mother and two brothers, the Rev. William Stewart, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Alexandria, Huntingdon county, and John Stewart, station agent at Mebane, Butler county.

George Wayne.

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—George Wayne, a business man of this city, died this morning. He was 34 years of age and was born in Wisconsin, coming here with his parents many years ago. At the time of his death, which was due to consumption, he was interested with his father in the Wayne bottling works. He is survived by his widow, who was Miss Minnie Mitchell of this city, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wayne, and two brothers and two sisters, Charles and Frederick Wayne, and Mrs. Gail Sowash and Miss Lyda, all of this city.

William Brown.

KITTANNING, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—Squire William Brown died here today in his 79th year of his age. Squire Brown was born in Ireland and came to this country while a youth, settled in Armstrong county and engaged in the coal business. By hard work he accumulated property with which he engaged in several business enterprises. For the past ten years he has been a justice of the peace, and was elected to succeed himself in February to a third term. S. G. W. Brown of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the only surviving child.

Dr. Hunter St. John.

Dr. Hunter St. John, formerly of Mobile, Ala., died yesterday at the West Penn hospital of heart disease. Dr. St. John came to this city about two months ago, intending to locate here.

OFFICIAL PARIS PALACE SIGHT WORTH SEEING

Passed Many Vicissitudes Before Becoming President's Residence.

VERY TASTEFUL BUILDING

Erected Nearly Two Centuries Ago by Famous Architect—An Object of Interest on Teachers' Grand Tour of Europe.

The official residence of the president of the French republic is the palace of the Elysee. It stands in the Rue Faubourg St. Honore and its gardens extend back to the Avenue Gabriel, opposite the Champs Elysees. The present occupant of the palace and the chief magistracy is Emile Loubet, a man of the people and a good executive.

The Elysee was built in 1718 by Molet, the architect for the Count d'Evreux. It afterward passed into the hands of Madame Pompadour, who enlarged and beautified it. Louis XV. purchased it and first gave it an official character by converting it into a residence for ambassadors from other countries. Next it became a hotel and then under the first republic became a place for holding state balls and receptions. Napoleon took it for a residence, and it was his favorite among his several dwelling places. After passing through various vicissitudes it was again made the official residence by the Little Napoleon.

Home of the Presidents.

It has been occupied successively by all of the presidents of the last republic, and it was there that Marshal MacMahon, as president, entertained General Grant. The palace is a tasteful building. At the front there is a gallery, surmounted by a terrace and light stone balustrade. At each end there are entrance gates, surmounted by Corinthian pillars and orna mented with carved flags and arms. It is magnificently furnished within. The gardens are laid out in the English style with winding alleys and beautiful lawns.

The teachers who are fortunate enough to secure the tour of Europe so liberally offered by The Pittsburgh Gazette and The Chronicle Telegraph will, of course, see this French official palace, by no means the least among the glorious city's public buildings.

Rules of Voting Contest.

Ballots must be filled out with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county; those of each series must be sent in before midnight of the 10th and last day of each month. The party will be composed of 25 teachers; 12 from Pittsburgh and Allegheny; six, Allegheny county outside of the cities; seven from outside of Allegheny county. All expenses will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph and each member of the party will receive $50 in cash. The tour will occupy more than six weeks and cover the most interesting portions of England, Scotland, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and France. Contest closes May 31. Ballot is printed on second page each issue and attention is directed to conditions printed thereon.

WILL HANDLE STEEL AND IRON FROM ABROAD

Pittsburgh Capitalists Engage in New Enterprise and Option Large Foreign Supplies.

The American Steel Company, formed by a number of Pittsburghers, is to secure a Pennsylvania state charter within a few days under the nominal capitalization of $1,000. The company plans to do a jobbing and importing business in all heavy lines of iron and steel. Later, the new company has under consideration the erection of extensive steel mills and the increase of its capital to meet the necessary expenditure, possibly to $1,000,000. The company has already opened offices in the Park building and has effected an organization by the election of Eugene S. Reilly, formerly of the West End Traction Company, as president; P. B. Reilly, formerly connected with the same interest, as vice president, and M. B. Kelly, who for about a dozen years has been associated with Zug & Co., manufacturers of refined Pittsburgh bar iron and a number of specialties, as secretary and treasurer.

The new company besides contracting for large lots of German, English and Holland steel for delivery here has options on large quantities of available steel for importation to this country that can serve to supply the shortage in domestic consumption. The demand of Americans abroad has developed such strength that foreign prices have gone so high that it is no longer to the advantage of domestic consumers to buy abroad.

C. C. Needham, representing Needham & Sons, Manchester, Eng., who was in Pittsburgh recently, will sail for home shortly after having secured extensive contracts for the delivery of large quantities of German and other foreign steel to a number of independent steel interests scattered between the Atlantic coast and Denver, Col.

With these deals closed and the fact that foreign steel prices have gone practically out of reach of American consumers, there is doubt that the mission of Commissioner Bonnell, who is understood to have been sent abroad to buy 40,000 tons of steel for the new Independent Sheet Manufacturers' association, can be successful.

CARSPECKEN HONORED.

Society of American Artists Secures the Loan of "A Young Man."

The portrait, "A Young Man," which was painted by C. S. Carspecken of Allegheny and attracted so much attention at the sixth annual art exhibition of the Carnegie art galleries, has been loaned to the Society of American Artists for their annual exhibition in New York. The request for the loan of the picture came from John W. Alexander, a member of the last international art jury.

This is the picture Mr. Carnegie so much admired during his last visit to Pittsburgh and which he purchased, with the intention, it is said, of placing it in one of his private art galleries.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Louis Cooper	Pittsburgh
Jennie Cohen	Pittsburgh
Israel Reisman	Pittsburgh
Neulie Gerdon	Pittsburgh
Fred W. Miller	Allegheny
Annie Wayner	Allegheny
Karl Kramer	Allegheny
Agnes J. Evans	Allegheny
Otto Brookman	Pittsburgh
Mary Darmeler	Pittsburgh
Thomas Duffy	Pittsburgh
Flora Bufford	Pittsburgh
Oscar L. Osburn	Washington county
Jessie E. Appleson	Washington county
Alexander Toubs	Braddock
Lizzie Davis	Braddock
Jas. C. Walker	Allegheny
Wm. L. Butler	Allegheny
John H. Johnson	Pittsburgh
Peter Rosinco	Pittsburgh
Edward G. Crawford	Pittsburg
Lorretta Hazen	Stark county
Carl Bergman	Pittsburgh
Sabina Grad	Minn
Edward J. Catlon	Pittsburgh
Sarah Perry	Pittsburgh
Wm. C. Simons	Westmoreland county
Roxanne Sevenspeck	Westmoreland county
Frank Vratil	Carnegie
Bertha Jna Lehmann	Carnegie

Society.

DURING Lent club women are planning a campaign in the interest of summer playgrounds. Soon circulars will be issued asking for contributions. It is interesting to contrast this feature of the plans of the joint committee of women's clubs with the method pursued in Chicago. There each woman's club pledges to raise a certain amount of the money required, which this year is between $3,000 and $4,000, almost the same amount needed by the Pittsburgh women exclusive of the appropriation of $2,500 by the Central Board of Education. The largest club in Chicago is the Woman's club, which is pledged to secure $1,400.

Absent club affairs is the announcement of candidates for the office of president of the General Federation of Women's clubs which will meet in May at Los Angeles. Mrs. Rebecca Douglas Lowe is the present presiding officer, but two new candidates have been named, Mrs. Dimies T. S. Denison of New York, who is first vice president, and who during Mrs. Lowe's absence in Europe was acting president, and Mrs. Wiles, the president of the Chicago Woman's club and until last week state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Illinois. Mrs. Denison, who is well known to a number of Pittsburgh club women who have met her at the biennial meetings of the General Federation and at the state meetings of Pennsylvania club women, has a gentle, gracious personality. Mrs. Wiles, who has gained much notoriety through fractional troubles in the Chicago Woman's club and in the Illinois State Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, is still known to those club women who have attended the congresses of the Daughters in Washington.

Pittsburgh Represented.

Pittsburgh is interested in the present Copley Hall loan exhibition of paintings of fair women, being held in Boston. Not alone is "Miss Kitty," Shannon's painting, which secured a medal in a Carnegie institute annual exhibition and belongs to the permanent collection, hanging in the exhibition, but one of John W. Alexander's characteristic and graceful paintings of women, "A Flower," is included among the gems of the exhibition. "A Flower" is one of Mr. Alexander's happiest conceptions; it is a pleasing blending of soft colors and an effective treatment of light and shade. The painting is loaned by the artist. Among the other paintings which have attracted especial attention is "The Reaper," by Puvis de Chavannes, one of the most striking in the collection; "Suzanne," by Frederick Zandomeneghi, a French artist, one of the greatest of impressionist painters, and a "Portrait of Mrs. Gov. Dewitt Clinton," daughter of Franklin. This last was painted by John Trumbull. Other paintings of notable pictures in the collection are Sir Henry Raeburn, R. A. Nicholas Largilliere and Frank Fourbus.

The Laos Land and China.

Mrs. Howard Campbell of Chieng Mai, Laos, Siam and Miss Charlotte Hawes of China are in Pittsburgh and will speak this afternoon in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, Wood street, at the regular meeting of the Young People's branch of the missionary societies of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny presbyteries. Both women have been missionaries under the Presbyterian board of foreign missions and are in this country recuperating and lecturing in the interests of the missionary work. Mrs. Campbell will illustrate her story of work in far-off Laos land with pictures and curios, together with a fine collection of garments. Miss Hawes, who escaped when the missionary compound at Hei Hsien was destroyed by the Boxers in 1900, will have something to tell of her experiences at that time and of the work which is being slowly resumed in China. All members of branch societies and of Christian Endeavor societies are invited to attend this meeting.

Music and Art.

Yesterday afternoon while a musicale was given by the Lawrenceville New Century club the Woman's club of Pittsburgh discussed the art of painting and sculpture. The musicale was one of the open club meetings and the program, which was unexceptionally enjoyable, was arranged by Mrs. H. B. Ingersoll and Mrs. Louis Hutchison.

The art program at the Woman's club was conducted under the direction of Mrs. Sarah A. Archer. It included a discussion on "The Art of the Twentieth Century" by Mrs. Robert D. Coard, followed by the "Religious Influence in Art by Mrs. Jane A. Hall and "Illustrators," Miss Coard.

Keystone Club's Progressive Euchre.

The Keystone Bicycle club announces a series of progressive six-handed stag team euchre which will be held at the club house in Howe street on the evenings of March 6, 13 and 20. The same members will play on the original teams during the three evenings and prizes will be awarded on the third evening. Any team, however, may have another club member to serve as a substitute on any of these evenings. The card committee is composed of Florence W. Fairman, Edward H. Flood and John A. McKenna.

The Woman's Suffrage Club.

The regular meeting of the Wilkinsburg Woman's Suffrage club was held last evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Bowersox. The delegates and members who were in Washington, D. C., during the recent international suffrage convention, gave interesting reports of the work accomplished by the convention. Plans were made for the coming visit of the state president, Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg, and of Miss Jane Campbell of Philadelphia on March 18 and 19.

List—Vandermast.

A pretty home wedding appointed for last evening was that of Miss Emma M. List of Princeton Place and Joseph W. Vandermast of Monroe, la. The bride has been a stenographer for the Pennsylvania Company.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. John W. Pontefract entertained a card club of which she is a member at her home in Fifth avenue yesterday afternoon.

This morning the first meeting of the permanent civic committee, composed of two delegates from each of the federated clubs of Western Pennsylvania, will be held in the Twentieth Century club, Duquesne way, at 10:30 o'clock.

A regular meeting of the joint committee of women's clubs will be held at the Twentieth Century club tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock to further plans for summer playgrounds.

Company G, of the Boys' brigade, will give an ice cream social and bazar at their headquarters, First Methodist Protestant church, Union avenue, Allegheny, tomorrow evening. A handkerchief presented by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt will be raffled.

PRISCILLA'S PENCIL

Happened on an interesting scheme of two Allegheny girls lately. These girls are both college girls, and, though they belong to a rich family, they imbibed at Vassar that wholesome realization, which abides in colleges, of "doing something for one's self." Last summer they became interested in the Fresh Air fund and all winter they have gone on half allowance to establish a little fund whereby they may send some airless babes to the country next summer. The fund grew, but the need grew also and at Christmas time the older girl, whose ideas are ambitious, was very gloomy over the prospect. So they fell to a discussion of ways and means, and finally hit on a plan eminently worthy of an American college girl, and calculated to make any one who hears of it bless the womanly hearts which prompted it. One of the girls is very skillful at millinery and college days developed her talent. The other can make fascinating little snapshot photographs, and to account have these two talents been turned. The milliner, remembering all the Paris confections she saw last year, has been trimming hats and selling them to one or two friends, also college girls, but the majority to a milliner who is sufficiently an artist to recognize the beauty of the airy trifles concocted by these amateur fingers. The other has made innumerable snapshots of gowns, neckwear, massage articles and of her sister when undergoing physical culture and exercise, and has sold them to newspaper syndicates, with the result that there is now a good sized sum in the bank awaiting the arrival of the hot days when babies gasp and charity is needed.

A Street Car Lark—

Was enjoyed by a group of jolly boys on Friday of last week. They stole away from school in the morning and took a round trip ride over every street car line in the city, including all possible transfers. It is interesting to note that the supper bells were ringing ere they got home.

An Easter Wedding—

In Philadelphia, in which a Pittsburgh girl will play the part of chief bridesmaid, will not have the traditional lilies of the Easter season, but will make the affair a yellow one to typify spring. Yellow jonquils will be used for decoration everywhere, and yellow violets will be carried by the maids of the bridal train. The girls will wear pale yellow brocade gowns and picture hats of butter colored straw on which a twist of yellow velvet and some violets will be placed. The scheme is very prettily conceived, and will make a charming picture if well carried out.

A Satin Slipper—

Worn nearly a century ago by one of the famous belles of early Kentucky came into the possession of a Pittsburgh man recently in romantic fashion. An old house was being overhauled in Kentucky, and in a hidden compartment, possibly used once as a secret chamber, was found a trunk filled with dainty feminine clothing, stiff brocades and filmy laces, and under all this a pair of tiny satin slippers, with heels as long as the length of the foot and satin quite yellowed by age. It was found from the record in the trunk that the things hidden during the civil war all belonged to one "Mistress Hildreth Maydew," who lived and reigned in early colonial days. The finder, being a descendant, divided the things and distributed them among relatives equally related, and so from the seclusion of long years, the little slipper of Miss Hildreth found its way to Pittsburgh.

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Towboats Waiting for Rivers to Fall Several More Feet.

A small run of coal will be made to the south today, several boats last night being hitched into town of coal, waiting to start on their southern cruise. The Pacific No. 2 will depart, taking 10 coalboats, five barges and two model barges loaded with manufactured goods. The J. C. Bisher will also take 10 boats and one barge and the Enterprise will take a like amount.

The boats will be assisted down the Ohio river as far as Steubenville or Bellaire by other steamers, and will then take the full tows as given above. The Ohio river is falling slowly, the water having passed below the 17-foot mark last night. It is thought that the river will fall several feet during the night. The lower Ohio river is now in the midst of the flood. The Allegheny and Monongahela rivers continue to fall at headwaters.

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The displays of Spring Dress Goods and Silks and in fact of all the new goods are very interesting just now.

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New Suits—Eton, Eton with belt, blouse, tight fitting, box and fly front styles, at prices from **$7.50 to $35**

Handsome Cheviot Suits, in brown, blue and black, skirt and jacket trimmed in moire silk and braid; jacket lined with taffeta and faced with moire silk. Price..... **$22.50**

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Black Moire Silk Waists, made in Gibson style — extra quality silk. Price..... **$5.00**

Two specials in **New Walking Skirts.**

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No. 286.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to purchase from John J. Schwab a certain lot of ground on Howard street, Twelfth ward, for the sum of $5,100.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the city recorder and the director of the department of public works are hereby authorized to purchase from John J. Schwab a certain lot of ground on Howard street, Twelfth ward, city of Allegheny, more fully described as follows: All that certain lot of ground situate in the Twelfth ward of the city and county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, being lot No. 68 and part of lot No. 67 in a plan of lots laid out by William Ferguson, trustee, and recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county in plan book vol. 4 page 208, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the west side of Howard street (formerly Vine street) at the division line between lots No. 67 and 68 in the above mentioned plans; thence along said street twenty-five feet (25 ft) to land now or late of Andrew Gimbel; thence south 53½ degrees west one hundred two (102) feet, more or less to Linton and Summerville land, thence along the same south 7 degrees east twenty-eight (28) feet to a point; thence north 83½ degrees east toward Howard street thirty-two (32) feet to a point in said lot No. 67; thence north 7 degrees west three (3) feet to the division line of said lots 67 and 68; thence along said division line of said lots north 83½ degrees east seventy-two (72) feet, more or less, to said Howard street the place of beginning. Being the same property which Anna Frank (widow) by deed dated April 20, 1900, and recorded in the recorder's office in Allegheny county in deed book vol. 1075 page 154 conveyed to John J. Schwab. For the sum of $5,100. And the city controller upon the receipt of a general warranty deed from the said John J. Schwab is hereby authorized and directed to issue a certificate upon the city recorder for a warrant in the sum of fifty-one hundred ($5,100) dollars, payable out of the water bond fund unto the said John J. Schwab.

Sec. 2. The said real estate to be used for the construction upon it of a pumping station.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 20th day of February, A. D. 1902.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., February 28th, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
341 J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.

No. 287.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the city recorder and the director of the department of public works to purchase from Emil Winter a certain lot of ground on Howard street, Twelfth ward, for the sum of $4,250.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the city recorder and the director of the department of public works are hereby authorized to purchase from Emil Winter a certain lot of ground on Howard street, Twelfth ward, city of Allegheny, more fully described as follows: All that certain lot situate in the Twelfth ward of the city of Allegheny, county of Allegheny and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Howard street (formerly Vine street) at the line of lot No. 68 in plan of lots laid out by William Ferguson, trustee, the line of property sold by George Schneider to Emil Winter recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county in deed book vol. 374 page 429; thence by said line westwardly seventy-two feet, more or less, to a point; thence southwardly three feet; thence westwardly thirty-two feet, more or less, to the westerly line of said lot; thence southwardly twenty-two feet, to line of property now or formerly of George Morse, thence eastwardly by said property ninety-six feet, more or less, to Howard street; thence along said Howard street northwardly twenty-five feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Being part of lot No. 67 in the above recited plan of lots, and a portion of the same property conveyed to Peter Seib by deed dated October 4th, 1899, and recorded in recorder's office, in vol. 247, page 334. For the sum of $4,250. And the city controller upon the receipt of a general warranty deed from the said Emil Winter is hereby authorized and directed to issue a certificate upon the city recorder for a warrant in the sum of forty-two hundred fifty ($4,250) dollars, payable out of the water bond fund unto the said Emil Winter.

Sec. 2. The said real estate to be used for the construction upon it of a pumping station.

Sec. 3. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 20th day of February, A. D. 1902.

F. J. TORRANCE,
President Select Council.

Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk.
JOHN M. GOEHRING,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

City Recorder's Office, Allegheny, Pa., February 28th, A. D. 1902. The above ordinance examined and approved.
341 J. R. MURPHY, City Recorder.

Hockey Game Had a Football Flavor

CHAMPIONS GO DOWN BEFORE P. A. C.'S PLAY

Largest Crowd of the Season Saw Red and White Win by Score of 4 to 0.

PLAY WAS VERY ROUGH

Contest Between Players as to Who Could Trip With Neatest Dispatch. Fourteen Benchings During the Contest.

Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Keystone	9	2	.818
P. A. C.	7	6	.538
Bankers	4	9	.307

Before the largest crowd of the season, numbering 3,000 enthusiasts of the ice game, the new Keystone hockey champions of Western Pennsylvania were defeated by the old title holders last night by a score of 4 to 0.

The game was the roughest of the season, and, taking it throughout, there was probably never a contest decided here before where so much tripping, wrestling and stick slashing prevailed during every minute of the contest.

The P. A. C. skaters, who undoubtedly have not played their game during the season closing and who should have made by all odds a far closer fight for the honors, were out to prove to their many supporters present that the retiring champions are superior to the new.

Unfortunately the question is still open and spectators do not yet know what would be the result in a real hockey contest, for the play of last night was more on the order of catch-as-catch-can or trip-if-you-can-do-worse, for there was very little scientific hockey displayed by either team.

Were After Each Other.

In their last meeting of the season the boys were out to have it out with one another, and some of the spectators appreciated immensely the novelty of a change, and began to dream of the next football season, while others wanted to see cockey and were consequently disgusted.

Nearly every player on each team was benched by the referee in his effort to bring about a new order of play, but the skaters took their medicine and went at it hammer and tongs as soon as they got on the ice. There were in all 14 sentences passed during the game.

As far as the merits of play went the P. A. C. skaters were the champions played off their feet, but what the result would have been under a cleaner style of play is problematical. The Red and White players are the heavier team, and when it came to mixing it up, though the Keystones came back as best they could, they were outclassed.

Champions on Defensive.

Nearly all the play was on Keystone ice and the champions were kept during most of the game on the defensive. Hern played a magnificent game, and but for his brilliant stops the score would have been larger. If the play had been cleaner the game would have been one of the best of the season. P. A. C. was in better trim than at any time since the game opened, and every man on the team was playing a star game. It seemed almost impossible to stop Smith, while Reynor and Robinson worked together like a charm. Curtin managed to get in his regular stunt of carrying the puck up and scoring all unaided.

For Keystone, Morrison and Sixsmith, the star offensive players, who are both right, were rendered practically useless so far as scoring went by the style of game. Peel, being larger, played brilliantly, while Morphy was a whole team on the defensive. The score and line-up:

P. A. C.—4.		Keystone—0.
Lamb	Goal	Hern
Mitchell	Point	Murphy
Curtin	Cover point	Bish
Reynor	Center	Sixsmith
Robinson	Forward	Morrison
Snell-Smith	Forward	Peel

Referee—Jack Hall. Goal judges—Garrett and Richardson. Goals—Reynor 3, Curtin 1. Rockford rough play—Robinson 4, Shields 3, Sixsmith 2, Curtin 2, Murphy 2, Reynor, Peel.

RULES AGAINST BETTING.

New York Supreme Court Judge Decides an Important Point.

NEW YORK, March 4.—(Special.)—"It appears that by the provisions of the constitution and by the statutes passed in accordance therewith, as interpreted by our highest courts, betting and gambling on horse races are forbidden no less on race tracks than in pool rooms, though the penalty directed or prescribed is different for a violation in one place than in another."

This is the ruling made today by Judge Clarke of the supreme court in vacating a temporary injunction obtained by the Maxim Gay Company restraining Edward McGoin, "Jack" Sheehan and others from selling or facing tips. The ruling is the most important of the kind that has been made by the courts in years. It is said to be the first decision on the point as to whether there is legal property in racing tips. It was contended that the parties enjoined had purchased for $50 the necessary information on the horse and duplicated and sold it at a much smaller price. Julius M. Meyer, now a judge of the court of special sessions, appeared in support of the injunction and Charles M. Hay represented the other parties, his contention being that there is no property in racing tips which a court of equity can enforce.

Meadville Champions' Reception.

MEADVILLE, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—The Allegheny basketball team returned this afternoon and were met at the station by nearly the whole student body, carried to carriages and a procession formed, which paraded the principal streets, yelling and singing, finally going to the college hill, where an uproarious jollification was held, celebrating the winning of the championship.

Napier Again a Winner.

MONTE CARLO, March 4.—Six of the ten games in the eighteenth round of the international chess tournament were concluded at the morning session today. In these the winners were Tarrasch over Mason, Popiel over Bleackburne, Janowski over Swiderski, Wolf over Mortimer, Napier over Scheve and Marshall over Bernio.

No Sunday Ball for Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 4.—Mayor Bookwalter said today that he would not allow Sunday baseball here because it would be in violation of the state law. This will disarrange the American association schedule, and Manager Watkins says of the ball ban: "If it is Sunday ball or no ball at all."

New Swimming Record.

BOSTON, March 4.—Harry LeMoyne of Brooklyn made a new world's swimming record at the Sportsmans show last night by covering the 60 yards in 33 1-5 seconds. The world's record was 35 4-5 seconds, and the American record seconds.

Among the Amateurs.

The Westinghouse A. C. baseball team has organized for the season of 1902. Thomas McKim was again elected manager and is now busy booking games with all first-class teams having enclosed grounds. W. A. C. had a first-class team on the field last season, winning 16 games and only losing 4. Address all challenges to Thomas McKim, East Pittsburg, Pa.

The Birmingham A. C. has organized for the season under the name of the Fisher A. C. The line-up is: Fisher, Blanchard, Reben, Richards, Cannon, Herchler, Elberg, Stecher, Verner and Murray. Would like to arrange games with all 15 to 19-year-old teams, such as Wilkins, Westinghouse second team, W. & B. second team, Carnegie second team, Bellhaven, Columbia and all other teams. Address Manager Murray, 1812 Merrimans alley, Pittsburgh south side.

THE DOG SHOW OPENS TODAY

THERE WILL BE NEARLY 600 CANINES TO LOOK OVER.

The List of Entries Includes Many of the Finest Dogs in the World—Local Entries Are Many as Well as of the Finest Variety.

This morning the annual bench show of the Duquesne Kennel club opens in Old City hall, at 9 o'clock. The club has secured the entrance of all the prominent kennels of the east, with some from the west, while the Pittsburgh dogs that will be shown are inferior to none. The statement of Supt. E. M. Oldham of New York is that there will be close to 600 dogs on view when the doors are opened this morning. This is equal to the best record made in Pittsburgh, and with one exception the heaviest list of dogs actually shown outside of Madison Square garden. Supt. Oldman says that the standard of dog shows has been advanced so frequently and to such a plane of excellence in breeding that the average first-class dog is almost barred from firsts.

Probably the most interesting exhibit of the show from several standpoints, especially that of local pride, will be that of the Vancroft kennels of Pittsburgh, which will show a long list of bulldogs, bull terriers, sporting dogs and toys, Japanese spaniels and Pomeranians. During the past two seasons the Vancroft kennels have gone to the front rank in competition with the best kennels of the world. At New York the Madison Square garden judges were applauded in their awards to the Vancroft kennels in the bulldog classes, competing against Richard Croker Jr.'s imported British bulldogs. Mr. Croker secured the best bulldog in Great Britain in Rodney Stone, but the foreigner was outclassed by Champion Katerfelto, who cleaned up all his classes. His kennel mates, Champion Lady Dockleaf and Mersham Jock, were also in the victorious bunch.

Champion Barton Tory, the Pittsburgh English setter, was the other star of the Madison Square garden exhibit, defeating the best setters of the eastern section and imported animals brought over to compete against the Americans. Champion Barton Tory is pronounced the best specimen of his breed in the world, and this verdict of experts was borne out in the hollow manner in which he distanced his antagonists at New York two weeks ago. New York sets the standard of excellence and the dog that wins a first in a big class there is able to win the world over.

AMERICAN LEAGUE MEETING.

Delegates Will Be Entertained in Detroit—Opposition to Extension of Circuit.

DETROIT, March 4.—The Griswold house in this city will be headquarters for the magnates of the American league for the next two days. Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock President Johnson will call them to order for the first session of the spring meeting, at which the playing schedule for the season and playing rules will be adopted. It may be necessary to postpone the first session until afternoon, if the eastern contingent is delayed by the floods. President Johnson, with several of the western owners, is expected to arrive tomorrow morning.

Business sessions will be held in the morning and afternoon only. President Postal of the Washington club, and the syndicate owning the Detroit club, Messrs. Angus, McNamara, Doyle and Cook, have arranged to entertain the visiting magnates and newspaper men at a theater party Wednesday night and will tender them a banquet at the Griswold Thursday night. It is thought the league's playing rules of last season will be readopted at this meeting. The question of expansion of the league may also come up at the sessions, although President Postal, of the Washington club, said tonight that he did not believe the present circuit would be enlarged.

MAHER AND RUHLIN.

This Pair Has Been Matched to Go Six Rounds in the Quaker City.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—Gus Ruhlin and Peter Maher have agreed to a match, Industrial hall having secured them for March 21. This will be the third time these heavyweights have met and it may be that a decisive result will be reached at the third time of asking. The first meeting was a 20-round affair at the Lenox club, New York, in 1899, and was the hottest heavyweight fight ever seen in that city. The two slugged and punched one another for the entire distance and the decision of a draw suited all the spectators. At the end of the fight the men were a sight, both being punched out of all recognition. The next time they met was in a six-round bout at the Penn Art club, this city, and while no decision was given it was generally conceded that Ruhlin had a shade over the Irishman.

WAGNER'S TEAM BEATEN.

Honus Got a Great Reception Up in Indiana.

INDIANA, PA., March 4.—(Special.)—Hans Wagner's Carnegie basketball team was defeated here tonight by the Indiana A. A. in a game which never had the appearance of a contest. The great Honus received a big ovation when he appeared on the floor and every time he effectually tried to stop Edmundson who tried with him. The teams lined up as follows:

Indiana—38.		Carnegie—11.
B. McCreight	Forward	Gormely
Edmundson	Forward	Marthens-Morgan
P. St. Clair and J. St. Clair	Center	Lafferty-Arehart
C. McCreight	Guard	Wagner
Moorhead	Guard	Irwin-Patterson

Field goals—B. McCreight 6, Edmundson 2, P. St. Clair 4, J. St. Clair 3, C. McCreight 11, Moorhead 8, Gormely 3, Wagner 1, Irwin 1. Goals from foul—Marthens.

CADETS' TEAM BEATEN.

Manchester Juniors Made a Strong Finish.

The Voegtley Cadets played a nice game against the Champion Manchester Juniors last night at Masonic hall. Played to a standstill for most of the time, Manchester finally woke up and slowly, but steadily forged ahead and won out by 33 to 24 amid the greatest pandemonium ever seen in Masonic hall. Score and line up:

Manchester—33.		Voegtley Cadets—14.
Skillinger	F	Hess
Koch	F	Apple
Walliser	C	Lauer
Graham	G	Riemenschneide
Burry and Metzkes	G	Rifenstein

Goals—Koch 5, Walliser 4, Skillinger 3, Graham 1, Metzkes 1, Hess 4, Rifenstein 2, Lauer 1. From foul—Graham 5. Officials—Billinger and Burry.

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HURDLE RACE WAS A SERIES OF BAD MISHAPS

Horses and Jockeys Were All Tangled Up in Various Collisions.

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J. Weber Had His Collar Bone Broken. One Horse Suffered a Broken Leg, Another Tripped Over a Dog—A Fifty-to-One Shot Won.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 4.—A series of mishaps occurred in the hurdle race today. Carlovingian bolted over the outside fence at the third jump, broke his leg and was shot. Torrean tripped over a dog as he rounded the far turn and fell. J. Weber, who had the mount, broke a collarbone. Robert Morrison fell at the fourth jump, but escaped serious injury. Intrusive and Van Hoorebeke were the winning favorites. At a sale in the paddock before the racing Alpaca sold for $1,075 to R. Waldron, Rose of May for $1,000 to Mr. Brannon and others for smaller amounts. The stewards have reinstated Jockey G. Wilson and the horse MacLaren. Weather cloudy; track fast. Summaries:

Big Injun Won His Race.

First race, mile and sixteenth, selling—Big Injun, 109, Minder, 50 to 1, won; Grosby, 107, Helgeson, 25 to 1, second; Maple, 110, Brennan, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:48¾. Tragedy, Excelsis, Lemoyne, Dr. Fannie, Free Admission, Dutch Carter, Woodstick, Clearfield and Lillian Reed ran.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Ben Hulburn, 98, W. Waldo, 6 to 1, won; Sir Christopher, 107, Lindsay, 16 to 1, second; John Grigsby, 112, Gilmore, 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¼. Barbara Freitchie, Ranco, Tom Collins, St. Wood, Lady Kent, Boomerack, Dr. Stephens and Mistress ran.

Third race, hurdle handicap, mile and one-quarter, over five hurdles—Mr. Rose, 137, Kelly, 4 to 1, won; Eva Moe, 137, Hunt, 2 to 1, second; Gould, 134, Cormer, 5 to 1, third. Time, 2:21. Catadas ran. Torrean, Rofert Morrison and Carlovingian fell.

Fourth race, handicap, mile and sixteenth—Intrusive, 132, Odom, even, won; Mynheer, 100, Landry, 5 to 2, second; Scarlet Lily, 104, Brennan, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:47. Ida Ledford and Reseda ran.

Fifth race, mile and half, selling—Deloraine, 105, Boyd, 4 to 1, won; Silver Coin, 108, Otis, 6 to 5, second; Major Mansir, 113, J. Miller, 6 to 1, third. Time, 2:38. Admetus Azim, Uncle Tom, Jackanapes and Cicely Duncap ran.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Van Hoorebeke, 104, Boyd, 5 to 2, won; Pay the Fiddler, 108, T. Walsh, 4 to 1, second; Lovable, 100, Helgeson, 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:47. Hindenella, Frank Jones, Little Lois, Balloon, Kingstelle and Annie Thompson ran.

Tomorrow's Entries.

First race, five furlongs—Katherine C., Aleda, Kentucky Muddler, Hermess, Tuckpaw, Alleghenious, Ladylike, Lady Brockway, Anna Handspring, Ladylike, Quick Silver, Sue, Chaminade, 110.

Second race, owners' handicap, six furlongs—Tom Kingsley, Carl Kahler, Maggie Davis, Echodale, Henry of Franstano, The Captain, Aibula, 85; Rowdy G., 88; Death, 105.

Third race, steeple chase, handicap, short course—Harve B., 127; King Elkwood, 129, and Robert Morrison, 150, coupled; Fearful, 139; Cantadas, 135; Fabella, 141; Carlston, 152.

Fourth race, the premier stakes, for 2-year-olds, $1,000 added, five furlongs—Maverick Sue Vius, Lizzie Brooks, Imp. Lady Winkie, 105; Tom Maybin, Computation, Bill Nixon, 108.

Fifth race, handicap, mile—Lady Alberta, Pearl Amigard, 87; Waterhouse, 92; Ben Chance, Johnnie McCartey, 93; Fleuron, 97; Felix Bard, 108; Nitrate, 112.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Tros, 97, Blocker, 101; Pharoan, 104; Senator Sullivan, Dan Daxton, Veritable Boy, 105; Charles D., 108; McWilliams, 107; Woodrice, 109; Phima Paxton, 110; Linden Ella, 114; Horseshoe Tobacco, 119.

THE OAKLAND RACES.

The Calaveras Handicap Furnished Fine Sport.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—The Calaveras handicap was the feature of the racing at Oakland today, and resulted in one of the best contests witnessed in several weeks. Articulate, who gave away weight to the field, won by a nose from Col. Ballantyne, who bumped him near the finish. Articulate was well ridden by Bullman, who made his last appearance here before his departure for New York. Summaries:

First race, futurity course, selling—Jennie Reid, 113, J. Mathews, 15 to 1, won; Lomond, 118, L. Jackson, 8 to 5, second; Little Gun, 109, Frawley, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:20⅘. Pupil, Sam Green, Devereaux, Poppya, Intrada, Impotent and St. Anthony also ran.

Second race, six furlongs,—Gusto, 110, Birkenruth, 5 to 1, won; Vassalo, 90, Ransch, 6 to 5, second; Midnight Chimes, 108, L. Jackson, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:22⅕. Pompina also ran. Senator Bruce left at post.

Third race, seven-sixteenths mile, selling—Gavieta, 109, J. Woods, 2 to 1, won; Hudson, 100, Ransch, 2 to 1, second; Dotterel, 110, Jackson, 5 to 2, third. Time, :36. Horatius, The Phantom and Len Reno also ran.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—Siddons, 110, L. Jackson, 8 to 1, won; Wolhurst, 110, Conley, 5 to 1, second; Galanthus, 107, Ransch, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:58½. Floronso also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, the Calaveras handicap—Articulate, 117, Bullman, 9 to 5, won; Col. Ballantyne, 100, Ransch, 6 to 1, second; Meehanus, 106, L. Jackson, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:25½. Duckoy also ran.

Sixth race, mile—Phil Archibald, 108, Troxler, 2 to 1, won; Legal Maxim, 91, J. Daly, 9 to 5, second; Tufts, 91, Walbury, 4 over, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:52. Alturas, Gold Baron, George Dewey, Loyal S. and The Gaffer also ran.

The entries for Wednesday:

First race, six furlongs, selling—Golden Light, The Peddler, Gamecentes, Magazine, 105; La Calma, 103; Rey del San Juan, 115; Killeen, 108, Jack Richlieu, Jr., 112; Derby Winner, 101.

Second race, seven furlongs—Dean Swift, 91 Cuhuanua, 100; Sir Dougal, Duke of York, 120; Reydare, 117; Helen Smith, 115.

Third race, five and a half furlongs, selling—Kildoe, Prestano, 94; Educate, 104; Montoyo, Lento, Sliva Cruz, 97; Tiburon, Ned Dennis, Chapple, 110; Clarendo, 108; Malaspina, 92; Tyranus, 94.

Fourth race, mile, selling—Hungarian, Rushfields, Formero, 111; Invictus, 102; Loyal S, 107; M. L. Rothschild, 110.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth, the Gunst handicap—Merops, 96; The Freiter, Frangible, 106; Mackgie, 104; Joe Frey, 113; Janice, 109; Redwald, 99.

Sixth race, futurity course, selling—John Peters, 108; Evander, 102; Senator Matts, Little Minch, Jr., 118; Dorian, 121; Dr. Boyle, Edinborough, 121; Muresca, 100.

AMATEUR SKATERS.

The Championship Events Will Start Tonight.

The races for the amateur championships of the United States on an indoor track will begin this evening at Duquesne Garden, the one mile race being the first on the schedule. The skaters will line up for the start at 9 o'clock. Simmrud, the undisputed champion, was one of the first of the out-of-town speeders to arrive, he and Wood getting in yesterday afternoon from New York.

McFadden and Guns Matched.

BALTIMORE, March 4.—George McFadden of New York and Joe Gans of Baltimore have been matched 25 rounds at 133 pounds, March 27, before the Eureka Athletic club of this city.

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THE BASKETBALL LEAGUE GOES UP

SEASON ENDS BECAUSE CENTRAL HALL IS NOT SECURED.

The Game Has Been Handicapped All Winter—President Barbour Is Angry Over the Way Teams Were Treated by Different Parties.

The Allegheny County Basketball league has certainly seemed to have had a "hoodoo" with it from the start of the season, and while the gymnasium sport is flourishing on all sides, the major organization has been handicapped throughout in regard to a place to play its games.

The start announced for Old City hall several weeks ago when the league was reorganized with four clubs, has never been made, and President John B. Barbour, Jr., when seen yesterday, admitted that there was no prospect of the league being able to carry out its schedule and "that the fatigue for the present season had been knocked sky high by the treatmen received from those with whom it had contracted for locations to play the games in."

President Barbour Is Angry.

President Barbour was about the hottest man in Western Pennsylvania when seen yesterday in regard to his basketball league, and said he wanted it understood that another chance would not be given, for himself or any athletic organization with which he is connected, to again receive treatment such as accorded this year.

According to Mr. Barbour arrangements had all been made with the city authorities for the playing of the league games at Old City hall before the announcement was made through the press that the league would again begin to transact business. On the eve of the playing of the first game, however, Mr. Barbour says he promptly told him that the league had to advertise its games and know what it was sure of in advance, and that he would contract for the full schedule remaining or for no games at all.

And here ended the second bid of the organization for life, with the exception that Manager MacFadyean of Duquesne, it is claimed, was compelled to settle for the hall for the three nights, which the league had never contracted for before he was allowed to obtain the hall for the game with Steubenville.

The Game Was Handicapped.

President Barbour says that everyone seems to see the basketball player coming and soaks him right and left. Mr. Barbour says: "A severe blow was given our league in the discontinuance of the games at Duquesne garden. The only trial of the game there was given in December, a poor month, and the attendance did not come up to our expectation, but the league lived up to its contract in every particular, while the garden did not, in shutting down on the league on account of needed improvements in the hall and then allowing the matter to drag for months, without giving us any answer to our queries as to what we were to expect."

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	$3,767,990 78	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		130 57
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	700,000 00	
Premiums on U. S. bonds	19,000 00	
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	250,000 00	
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		128,263 69
Due from state banks and bankers		9,026 05
Due from approved reserve agents		247,626 10
Checks and other cash items		11,280 64
Exchanges for clearing house		102,829 47
Notes of other national banks		25,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		445 74
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	401,500 00	
Legal-tender notes	65,000 00	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent circulation)	35,000 00	
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	7,850 00	
Total		$5,859,042 84

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$1,200,000 00
Surplus fund	470,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	264,705 43
National bank notes outstanding	700,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 230,752 84
Due to state banks and bankers	60,564 44
Dividends unpaid	480 00
Individual deposits subject to check	2,836,631 13
Certified checks	2,000 00
	3,224,337 41
Total	$5,859,042 84

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.

I, A. Long, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. LONG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of March, 1902.

WM. F. ROBB, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

MARK W. WATSON,
L. W. DALZELL,
A. H. CHILDS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Verona, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business February 25, 1902:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$187,535 66
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		257 54
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		14,820 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		16,506 16
Due from approved reserve agents		13,403 99
Checks and other cash items		21 73
Notes of other national banks		500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		322 45
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$4,137 50	
Legal-tender notes	6,289 00	
	10,426 50	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625 00	
Total		$256,918 62

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,795 93
National bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Dividends unpaid	50 00
Individual deposits subject to check	$158,030 04
Time certificates of deposit	3,159 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	306 65
	161,586 69
Notes and bills rediscounted	5,000 00
Total	$256,918 62

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, W. E. Bargar, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. E. BARGAR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of March, 1902.

LA RUE TIERS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

KAUFMAN STONE,
J. M. WITHERSPOON,
FRANK SCHILLING,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BIRMINGHAM, at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business February 25, 1902:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 835,649 59
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		3,631 15
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		910 95
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		40,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents		58,951 26
Notes of other national banks		7,160 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		85 44
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	47,227 00	
Legal-tender notes	30,000 00	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	5,000 00	
Total		$1,136,614 39

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	78,206 75
National bank notes outstanding	100,000 00
Dividends unpaid	620 00
Individual deposits subject to check	737,131 79
Demand certificates of deposit	20,605 85
Cashier's checks outstanding	40 00
Total	$1,136,614 39

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Daniel Beech, cashier of the above-named bank, do sol

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16"x36" R. H. Whitehill Corliss.

MISCELLANEOUS ENGINES.

One pair 28"x48" Allis Blooming mill engines.
1 22"x44"x60" Allis blowing engine.
1 34"x60" pony plate engine.
1 28"x30" slide valve engine.
1 26"x30" slide valve engine.
2 24"x72" poppet valve engines.
1 13"x22" rock valve engine.

And all other sizes down to 5 H. P.

WICKES BROTHERS,
Forty-fifth st. and A. V. R. R.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Bell 'phone 243 Fisk.
P. & A. 'phone 191 Lawrence.

A PARTIAL LIST.
ENGINES.

28x80 Corliss.	24x48 Wright.
12x21x24 Cross Compound	Porter Allen.
15x14 Ideal.	8x12 Russell.
10x12 Ball.	10x16 Bass.
and smaller sizes.	

BOILERS.
Tubular, Portable and Vertical.
Pumps, Pipe, Fittings, Pulleys, etc.
Send for list of bargains.
ATWELL MACHINERY COMPANY,
507 and 508 Hamilton Building.
Bell 'Phone 1855 Grant.
P. & A. 'Phone 2686 Main.

FOR SALE—Boilers and Engines—Large stock of all sizes, from 3 to 150 H. P.; 40 x 50 engine, one 16x36, two 12x16, and large variety of smaller sizes, both horizontal and upright; large lot of tubular, flue, portable and upright boilers, shafting, pulleys, hangers, couplings, and lot of miscellaneous machinery. Good second-hand belting, leather, rubber and cloth at half price.
H. S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

TRANTER-DAVISON MFG. CO.,
Machinists and Manufacturers.
Shafting, hangers, iron and wood split pulleys, syphons, injectors, pipe and fittings, and specialties in brass goods; boilers, engines, pumps, machinery and supplies. Agents for WARREN GAS ENGINES.
105 Water st. 104 First ave.

FOR SALE—Machinery; first class condition; one each mandrill, drop hammer, foot power press, ostrander, router, two foot-power lathes and lever presses. Bunting, 204 Fifth ave.

N. C. DAVISON,
Gas and steam engines, boilers, pumps, Compressors. 108 Market st.

Pianos.

$125.	$125.	$123.
	Piano Bargain.	
	Piano Bargain.	
$125.	$125.	$125.
	Fine Mahogany Upright.	
	Fine Mahogany Upright.	
	HOFFMAN'S MUSIC HOUSE,	
	537 Smithfield st.	

THAT OLD PIANO—
Do you know it can be repolished and given that "new" appearance, and that the "works" can be repaired and regulated—in short, that we can give it a new lease of life at very small cost? Let us give you an estimate.
ALEX. ROSS PIANO CO., 714 Penn ave.

IF you are looking for a Piano bargain go to Hoffmann's. You can't find better value than we give. Our special bargain for this week—$125; would be cheap at $200 elsewhere. Look at it.
HOFFMAN'S MUSIC HOUSE,
537 Smithfield st.

A FINE Mahogany Upright, only $125. You can't buy a piano like this elsewhere for less than $200. Try it and be convinced.
HOFFMAN'S MUSIC HOUSE,
537 Smithfield st.

See the Piano we are
Offering this week for $125.00.
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537 Smithfield st.

MATHUSHEK & SON PIANOS.
Famous for 60 years.
ALEX. ROSS PIANO CO.,
714 Penn ave.

PIANO—Extraordinary, renowned upright; cover, stool; practically new; very cheap; best references. P. O. Box 482, Pittsburgh.

Birds and Dogs.

JUST ARRIVED—New lot of fine St. Andreasberg Roller canaries. Also fine singers in the world, months of constant training being given to bring them to the desired degree of perfection; also new lot of fine Hartz mountain canaries, guaranteed singers. Finest line of brass cages in the city at lowest prices. Send for catalogue. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

GOLDFINCHES, linnets, bullfinches and all kinds of European song birds; talking parrots, etc. Aquariums and aquarium supplies; also fine lot of Japanese fantail goldfish. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

NOW is the time for breeding canaries. We have female canaries, breeding cages and all supplies at lowest prices. Largest assortment in the city; send for catalogue. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

ANGORA CATS—We have just received a new lot of very fine Angora kittens. Call and see them; no trouble to show. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Smithfield st.

Typewriters.

DON'T BUY A NEW TYPEWRITER
We repair your old one, $3.50 upwards; expert work, year's guarantee; get estimate; complete stock of second-hand typewriters, cheap; rentals $2 00 per month. Bell 'phone, 2196.
CONSOLIDATED TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE
339 Fifth ave.

FOR SALE.

Horses and Vehicles.

JUST ARRIVED—Another carload of heavy draft horses. Among them are a pair of blacks, weighing 3,400 lbs.; pair bays, 3,400; pair bays, 3,500; pair bays, 3,300; pair grays, 3,200; pair grays, 3,100; pair blacks, 3,100, valuable team for hauling out in lots; part of the property of the Oliver estate to be sold at
ORPHANS COURT SALE
on next Wednesday afternoon, March 5, at 2 o'clock, on the premises.
See JAS. W. THAPE & CO.,
AGENTS,
425 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

MR. T. H. BEAVER, from Perrysville, O., arrived with a carload of heavy draft horses, weighing from 1,500 to 1,800 lbs. each. See them at the Allegheny Horse Exchange, 516 First st., Allegheny.
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516 First st., Allegheny.
M. MARX, Proprietor.

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Sewing Machine.

DOMESTIC machine, $7; also Singer, $4; all attachments. 3806 Harvard st., E. E.

Miscellaneous.

A BARGAIN—Baby grand piano; celebrated maker; case damaged in shipping; best offer made this week takes it; a snap for somebody; must be sold. Several second-hand pianos for sale; Steinway, Steck, Chickering, Ivers & Pond, Everett, Mathushek, Jacob Bros. & Co. Call at very earliest opportunity; they won't stay here long at the prices we have put on them.
ALEX. ROSS PIANO COMPANY,
714 Penn ave.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.
Appropriate, attractive and business bringing ones made best by P. J. Byrne, the painter, 634 Fifth ave. and 55 Tunnel st.; both 'phones.

FOR SALE—50 mish carpets.
To be sold cheap.
Ingrain, Brussels and Velvets.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

FOR SALE—A lot of paper; will print your business card on it at a reasonable figure; good work in all we do. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st.

NEW and second-hand soda fountains. J. C. Buffum Company, 122-124 Third ave.

GRINDSTONES—All sizes and grits. William Kirby, 500 First ave.

WEAR Cain's shoes for sore and tired feet. 503 Market st.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—THEODORE LOW DE VINNE. The highest authority in this country on composition and typography, condemns unwarranted abbreviation. Walter Pearce, an English authority, regrets the injudicious use of different styles of lettering and the sham relief of shaded letters. This and more is to be known when good lettering is done. For correct and reasonable sign work, call or send for
P. J. BYRNE,
634 Fifth ave. Late with E. E. Garnsey.

PERSONAL—Do you know that your old tableware, knobs, hinges, brass beds can be repaired, painted or refinished and lacquered in a first-class manner at
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
116 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

PERSONAL—Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.,
Can sell you carpets cheap.
We have misfit carpets.
And have second-hand carpets.

PERSONAL—Let us clean your carpets.
We can do them best.
We have good machinery.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

"RICH YOUR APAREL
as the purse can buy."
Keep your house well dressed, too; that's important.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—Bad-fitting shoes, feet uncomfortable, makes one ill-humored; hurts the eyes, hard on the spine, and life not worth living. 503 Market st. shoes not this kind. Try them.
MATHUSHEK & SON PIANOS.
Famous for 60 years.
ALEX. ROSS PIANO CO.,
714 Penn ave.

PERSONAL—If interested see J. C. Buffum Company's complete soda fountain cabinet and supplies before buying. 122-124 Third ave., Pittsburgh.

PERSONAL—When you need printing call up Bell 'phone 81 Fisk, or P. & A. 81 Lawrence, and get the best prices on good work.

PERSONAL—Without a doubt, Knapp does fine printing at 3521 Butler st. See him for any kind of commercial printing.

PERSONAL—Say, do you need billheads? Call up H. C. Knapp, Bell 'phone 81 Fisk. He prints them right.

PERSONAL—Business cards printed properly. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

SWEET CASTOR is not a substitute, but pure castor oil made pleasant.

SAVES night walks for papa. SWEET CASTOR.

ONLY pure castor oil used in SWEET CASTOR.

YOUR druggist can get SWEET CASTOR for you.

FOUND.

A NEW metal discovered; an old chemist in Philadelphia has discovered a new metal which, when applied to any chandeliers and other metal fixtures, makes them look like new brass; the cost is very moderate; the Pittsburgh agent will call and demonstrate. Address S. B. Wright, 5427 Howe st.

FOUND—We will repair and replate old tableware, brass beds, lamps, name plates, bronzes, etc., etc.; giving them a finish almost equal to new; a postal, and we will call.
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
110 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

DON'T Lay on a Hard Mattress—
Have it made over.
We send it back like new.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

SIGNS OF SPRING
or any other season made or furnished on short notice. P. J. Byrne, painter; late with E. E. Garnsey. 634 Fifth ave. and 55 Tunnel st., both 'phones.

FOUND—The White Sewing Machine Co. will adjust any family make of sewing machine for $1. Send postal or phone White Sewing Machine Co., 122 Sixth st.

FOUND—I can rent a White sewing machine for 75 cents a week. Send postal or telephone. White Sewing Machine Co., 122 Sixth st.

FOUND—Printing executed exactly correct by H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones. Commercial Printing Our Specialty.

FOUND—If you're in business you need printing. H. C. Knapp does fine work. 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

IF it's good printing you want, see Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

NEIGHBORS will advise the use of SWEET CASTOR.

THE only genuine SWEET CASTOR—Morris', 10 cents.

LOST.

LOST or Mislaid—Certificate No. 230, 25 shares Mechanics National bank, Pittsburgh; issued March 3, 1899, to Frank S. Bissell; all persons cautioned not to negotiate same; application made for new certificate.

LOST—Tuesday morning, between Chatham st. and court house, or Penn ave., lady's gold hunting-case watch; photo. and inscription, "Ed. to Marge." Reward if left at Chronicle Telegraph office.

LOST—Feathers Renovated,
Old mattress hunnered, 10c.
Beds made into pillows.
Allegheny Carpet & Feather Renovating Co.,
823 Pennsylvania ave.

LOST—Time and money with badly-printed cards; went to H. C. Knapp, the Printer, and got satisfaction. He's the best printer in town. Find him at 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

LOST OR STOLEN—On Monday evening, March 3, at Carnegie Hall, Allegheny, gold open-face watch, Elgin fac. Reward if left at Pittsburgh Bank for Savings.

LOST—The chance to get good painting done if you fail to get P. J. BYRNE the Painter, to give you an estimate. 634 Fifth ave.

LOST—What? Printing? No, we do good work. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

MAMMA can sleep when baby takes SWEET CASTOR.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—In the matter of the application of the Pittsburgh Tunnel Company for an extension of time in which to complete the construction of its necessary improvements, No. 624 March term, 1902, in the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county. To whom it may concern. On Saturday, March 1, the following order was made in the above matter. And now, March 3, 1902, the foregoing petition presented in open court and ordered to be filed, and Saturday, March 15, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. is fixed as a time for a hearing thereon. Notice of the filing of said petition, the time fixed for a hearing thereon and notifying all parties interested to file exceptions thereto in writing at least five days before the time fixed for said hearing, is hereby directed to be published in the Pittsburgh Legal Journal and three newspapers of general circulation in Allegheny county, one of which is published in the German language, once a week for two weeks, and that upon proof of publication of notice and on filing exceptions as aforesaid the petitioners and exceptants will be heard at the time fixed as aforesaid.
A. M. NEEPER,
Attorney for Pittsburgh Tunnel Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on the 15th day of March, 1902, by Henry L. Williams, Joseph E. McGinness, William W. Dobbins, Samuel Garrison and Daniel Ashworth, under the act of assembly entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the

Bears in Wall Street Strong at the Close

STOCK MARKET ACTIVE AND WEAK AT THE CLOSE

Growing Demands on the Cash Reserves of New York Had Decided Effect.

MORE GOLD GOING OUT

Steamers Will Carry Several Millions in Yellow Metal to the Other Side. Confidence Felt in Offer of Government Bonds if Necessary.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 4.—Today's stock market for the greater part of the day represented the retreating of yesterday's upward course in the regular process of taking profits on a small turn, which is a characteristic of a narrow professional market. Late in the day, however, the selling movement gained appreciable force and carried prices downward by rapid stages to the lowest of the day, making the closing active and weak. The market also broadened out considerably in the late selling movement and the dealings were much better distributed than at any other time during the day. The standard stocks were as greatly affected as some of the minor specialties which have lately been so conspicuous in the market.

Gold Exports Cause Trouble.

The growing dimensions of the requirements upon New York cash reserves seemed to be the cause of the rather acute uneasiness manifested. The engagement of gold for export announced today for Thursday's and Saturday's steamers and estimates of others likely to be made indicate the probability of an outgo of $5,000,000 or over this week to foreign shores. The underwriting syndicate of the San Francisco traction organization called upon its subscribers today for a 20 per cent payment on Thursday. This means the remittance to San Francisco at that time of about $4,000,000.

New York Only Affected.

It is true that this operation will mean no encroachment upon the country's available money supply, as the treasury authorities will pay out in San Francisco immediately the amount deposited in the sub-treasury in New York, but the operation involves a depletion of New York bank reserves nevertheless. The sub-treasury had already taken from the New York money market since Friday, on routine operations, $3,111,000. With the surplus reserves of the banks last week below $10,000,000, these figures indicate sufficient requirements to wipe out the surplus entirely. Under the average systems of computation it is also expected that part of last week's decrease in cash reserves will be felt in this week's bank statement.

Depending on Government Bonds.

The confidence which has been felt in the continued ease of the money market in face of these developing factors was partly based upon the belief in government bonds circles that government bonds would be offered to the treasury department for redemption in case of any real need in the money market. As a matter of fact bonds to the par value of a million dollars were offered to the sub-treasury late today, for which $1,122,401 was paid in cash, but this did not seem to relieve the apprehension of a possible money squeeze. It was noticeable also that the sterling exchange market was affected by the offering of bills against the gold engaged for export, so that rates yielded a fraction which was not the case when gold was engaged last week.

Missouri Pacific Declined.

The statement of the Missouri Pacific for January, showing a decrease in net earnings of $521,000 caused an early sharp decline in that stock and affected the list by sympathy, offsetting the influence of various other favorable railroad reports, notably the extraordinary showing made by the annual report of the Pennsylvania. The early market was largely one of specialties, in which Chicago and Northwestern was prominent with a rise of 3½. Lackawanna became equally conspicuous in the late dealings with a drop of 6¼.

The bond market was inclined to dullness, but held comparatively steady. Total sales, par value, $2,930,000. United States old 4s advanced ⅛ on the last call.

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. r. 2s. reg.	108½	L. & N. un. 4s....	101¼
Do coupon....	109	Mex. Cen. 4s.....	82½
Do 3s. reg....	109	Mex. Cen. 1st inc....	27½
Do coupon....	109	Mex. Nat. 4s.....	92
Do n. 4s reg....	139¾	M. K. & T. 4s.....	96¾
Do coupon....	139¾	Do 2ds.....	83
Do old 4s, reg..	111¾	N. Y. Cen. 1st s..	103¾
Do coupon....	112¾	Do gen. 3½s.....	108
Do 5s reg.....	106½	N. J. Cen. gen 5s.	137½
Do coupon.....	106½	Nor. Pac. 4s.....	105¾
Atch. gen. 4s....	104¾	Do 3s.....	74¾
Do adjst. 4s....	93¾	N. & W. con. 4s..	103½
Bal. & Ohio 4s..	104	Read. gen. 4s.....	99¾
Do 3½s.....	96	S.L.& I.M. c. 5s..	118
Do Conv. 4s....	104½	S. L. & S. F. 4s..	103½
Can. So. 2ds....	108	S. L. Sw. 1sts....	98¾
Cen. of Ga. 5s...	110¾	Do 2ds.....	79½
Do 1st Inc....	70	S. A. & A. P. 4s..	91½
C. & O. 4½s....	107½	So. Pac. 4s.....	94½
C. & Alton 3½s..	84¾	So. Ry. 5s.....	120½
C. B. & Q. n. 4s.	95¾	T. & P. 1sts.....	120½
C. M. & St. P. 5s	137¾	U. P. D. & G. 4s..	89¾
C. & N. con. 7s..	138½	Un. Pac. 4s.....	105¾
C. R. I. & P. 4s..	110¾	Do con. 4s.....	105¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	4s. 105	Wabash 1sts.....	119
Col. & So. 4s....	94⅝	Do 2ds.....	107
D. & R. G. 4s....	102½	Do Deb. B.....	73¼
Erie prior lin. 4s.	99¾	West Shore 4s.....	112¾
Fl. gen. 5s.....	97½	W. & L. E. 4s.....	91½
F. W. & D. C. 1st.	113¼	Con. Tobacco 4s...	65½
Hock. Val. 4½s.	109		

*Offered.

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAFO, March 4.—Stocks dull. Close:

American Can....	15
Do preferred....	59
Diamond Match..	153¾
National Biscuit.	39¾
Do preferred....	107½
Northwestern L..	30
City Railway.....	215
Union Traction...	14½
Do preferred....	50½

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., March 4.—Stocks:

Amer. Railways..	43¼
Cambria Iron.....	75
Do 25 cent.....	27 ½
Lehigh Valley....	73¼
Marsden	3 15-16
Penna. R. R.....	75
Reading	27 ½
United Gas.....	129

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., No. 236 Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchange and Chicago board of trade:

Shares. STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
8500 A. T. & S. F....	75½	75⅝	75⅛	75⅛
1500 Do preferred..	96⅝	96⅞	96⅝	96⅞
Am. Cotton Oil..	35¾	36	34½	35¾
Do preferred....	....	....	....	85½
12100 Am. Sugar Ref..	128¼	128⅝	126⅝	128¾
Do preferred....	....	....	....	118
1000 Am. Locomotive..	31⅞	31⅞	31½	31½
Do preferred....	....	....	....	92½
2400 Am. Car Fdy....	29¾	29⅞	29⅜	29
100 Do preferred....	....	....	....	82½
American Can....	....	....	....	142
Do preferred....	....	....	....	90
30800 Amal. Copper....	69⅜	70⅛	68⅝	68½
1100 Am. Cop. Min....	32½	32½	32	32⅛
700 Am. Sm. & Ref..	47	47⅜	46⅞	46⅝
100 Do preferred....	98⅝	98⅝	98⅜	98⅝
American Ice....	28	28	27½	27⅝
Do preferred....	65½	65½	65½	65½
19400 Balt. & Ohio....	104⅝	105⅛	104⅛	104⅛
Do preferred....	....	....	....	104½
Brook. R. T....	64⅞	64⅞	63⅛	63⅞
1600 C. & G. W....	24	24⅛	23⅞	23⅞
600 Con. Gas.....	218½	218½	218	218
800 C. C. C. & S. L.	101⅛	101⅝	98⅞	99⅛
900 Ches. & Ohio....	46¾	46⅞	45½	45⅞
400 Chi. & Alton....	36¾	36⅝	35½	38⅛
100 Do preferred....	75¾	75¾	75¾	75½
1400 Col. Fuel & Iron.	88	88	86½	86⅝
Do preferred....	....	....	....	121
10600 Col. Southern....	23½	23⅝	22⅞	23⅛
100 Do 1st pfd....	68⅜	68⅝	68⅜	68½
1800 Do 2d pfd....	37½	37⅝	37⅜	37⅝
300 Del. L. & W....	282	282½	282	282
400 Del. & Hudson....	172	172	171	171
4400 Erie	37⅝	37⅝	37½	37⅝
100 Do 1st pfd....	68	68	67⅞	67⅞
800 Do 2d pfd.....	55½	55⅝	54⅞	54⅝
1400 Gen. Electric....	208½	209	206	206
130 Glucose Sug. Ref..	45½	46⅜	45½	45½
Do preferred....	....	....	....	92½
800 Illinois Central..	140	140	139½	139⅝
200 Iowa Central....	48	48	48	47⅝
3400 Do preferred....	79½	80⅞	79½	80⅜
International P....	68	68	67⅞	67⅞
400 Do preferred....	75½	75⅝	75½	75½
L. E. W....	....	....	....	66½
100 Do preferred....	131	131	131	130
1400 L. & Nash.....	104	104	103½	103⅝
10700 Manhattan.....	132	134⅛	130⅝	131
15200 Missouri Pacific..	99⅞	100⅞	98⅝	98⅝
700 M., K. & T. pfd.	54½	54½	53⅝	53½
6500 Metropolitan St....	134¾	135¾	133¾	134¾
800 Mexican Cent....	27⅞	27⅞	27⅜	27⅝
100 National Lead....	17½	17½	17½	17
Do preferred....	....	....	....	80
400 New York Cent....	171½	171½	169⅞	170¼
Do preferred....	....	....	....	166
1500 N. Y. Cent.....	162½	162⅝	162	162
100 N. J. Cent.....	191½	191½	191¼	191
1000 N. Y., Ont. & W.	33½	33½	33	33
1100 Norfolk & West..	57⅝	57⅝	57½	57½
Do preferred....	....	....	....	90
Omaha	....	....	....	140
500 Ontario & C....	100	100	99¾	99¾
500 Pacific Mail.....	47	47	46	45¾
Pullman	....	....	....	218
Pressed Steel Car....	....	....	....	39½
1300 Do preferred....	84	84½	84	83¾
12800 Penna. R. R.....	151¼	151⅞	150¾	150¾
P., C., C. & St. L....	....	....	....	85½
Do preferred....	....	....	....	112
20600 Reading	55½	55⅞	54	54
400 Do 1st pfd.....	81	81	80½	80½
2100 Do 2d pfd.....	67⅜	68	66⅝	66
1500 Rock Island Co....	163¾	165¼	162¾	164¼
1200 Republic Iron....	16⅝	16⅝	16¼	16⅜
500 Do preferred....	71⅞	71⅞	71½	71½
17300 Southern Pacific..	64¾	64⅝	63⅝	63⅝
2200 Southern Ry.....	33⅛	33⅝	32⅞	32⅞
1200 Do preferred....	95⅜	95⅝	95¼	95⅛
16300 St. Paul.....	163⅜	163⅝	162¼	162¼
200 Do preferred....	....	....	....	188
200 St. L. & S. W....	....	....	....	24⅜
700 Do preferred....	57¼	57½	56	55½
4300 Tenn. C. & I.....	69⅜	69⅝	68	68
700 Texas & Pacific..	44¾	45⅛	39¾	39
400 T., St. L. & K. C.	22⅝	22⅝	22¼	22¼
1400 Do preferred....	40¼	40⅛	39⅝	40
6400 U. S. Steel.....	43½	43⅝	43	43
17250 Do preferred....	95¾	95¾	94¾	94⅝
10500 Union Pacific....	99⅝	99⅝	98⅞	98⅞
1100 Do preferred....	87¾	87⅝	88½	87¾
U. S. Rubber.....	....	....	....	15½
500 U. S. Leather....	11⅜	11½	11⅜	11⅜
200 Do preferred....	....	....	....	81⅜
1900 Wabash	24	24¼	23½	23¾
1300 Do preferred....	43¾	44⅛	43⅜	43⅝
800 W. U. Telegraph..	90½	90¾	90⅛	90¼
200 W. & L. E.....	19⅜	19⅝	19⅛	19
400 Do preferred....	31¾	31¾	31	30⅜

Total sales, 380,600 shares.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., March 4.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	75¼
Do preferred....	96
Boston & Albany..	265
Boston & Maine..	191½
Boston Elevated..	162
N. Y., N. H. & H..	211½
Fitchburg pfd....	147
Union Pacific....	98⅜
Mexican Central..	27⅜
American Sugar...	126¾
Am. Sug. pref....	118½
Am. Tel. & Tel....	156
Dominion I. & S..	33¾
N. E. Gas & Coke..	5½
United Fruit.....	97¾
U. S. Steel.....	43
Do preferred....	94¾

Boston Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, MASS., March 4.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric...	36⅜
Do prefered...	96
General Electric..	235½
Westinghouse com	90

Business and Manufacturing Properties Change Hands

A PROPERTY IN PENN AVENUE IS SOLD FOR $85,000

The Thomas A. Gillespie Lot at No. 815 Is Bought by a Local Investor.

PANHANDLE DEAL NOTED

United Realty Trust Company Is Ready for Business—Fine Plot of Wilkinsburg Frontage Sold—Speculative Building at a Standstill.

The property at No. 815 Penn avenue has been sold to Thomas A. Gillespie for a price approximating $85,000, or about $3,775 a front foot. The lot measures 22 feet in the lower side of Penn avenue, near Ninth street, and extends back a distance of 180 feet to an alley. It is occupied by a five-story brick building next to the Barker-Williams furniture store. The purchaser's name is withheld in the transaction, but he is understood to be a prominent investor who intends to erect a large office building on the site. In connection with this sale another deal was reported pending for property in the rear of that purchased, but no details could be obtained concerning the latter. Current report had it that the sale of the Gillespie property was negotiated by John F. Baxter. This is the second sale of Penn avenue property near Ninth street within a month, the corner lot now occupied by a saloon, having been purchased a short time ago for $50,000.

Panhandle Purchase Reported Closed.

It was reported on good authority yesterday that the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railway Company had purchased from Phillips, Nimick & Co. the upper portion of their holdings on the South Side for about $275,000. The property has a frontage of over $700 feet in West Carson street, a short distance west of the Smithfield Street bridge and also extends back toward the hill 250 feet. A part of the hillside is also to be included in the deal. The sale of the lower portion of the company's property on which the warehouses and offices stand was announced some weeks ago to the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. The upper portion now occupied by the Sligo mills is wanted to afford more track room for the Panhandle, which is putting in a four-track system on the South Side.

Good Bargain in Wilkinsburg.

The property at the corner of South and Hay streets, Second ward, Wilkinsburg, has been sold by the Campbell estate to James Doran for $13,600, subject to the decision of the orphans' court. The lot measures 122x150 feet and is now used as a lumber yard. It is one of the most desirable pieces of vacant frontage in the borough and is to be improved. It is understood, with modern dwellings.

The new realty trust company, lately formed through the efforts of the Union Realty Company, has purchased the charter of the Union Realty Trust Company and will transact business henceforth under that name. The latter concern was chartered one year ago, the chief promoters being Joseph M. Dixon and James Buchanan. Within 10 days the business of the Union Realty Company will be absorbed by the new corporation, which will fit up handsome offices adjoining the quarters of the Union Realty Company in Fourth avenue. The stock of the new company is all subscribed and the first assessment was paid last week.

Contractors in a Dilemma.

It is the opinion of a large number of contractors that speculative building will be held up indefinitely pending the satisfactory settlement of the wage question. The painters' strike following close upon the demand of carpenters and masons for a raise of 25 per cent in wages, has placed contractors in a hard position as the season for bidding is at hand and no definite estimate can be made of the cost of proposed buildings. Owners of vacant frontage say they will not build at the prices likely to be charged for even at the present high rents they cannot hope to realize a good return on their investment. A large proportion of the work on the boards in architects' offices is conditioned upon the cost of labor the coming season. This sudden halt in building operations, which was noticeable in February, is acting unfavorably upon the sales of acreage and frontage in and around the city, which would otherwise be improved with hundreds of houses.

Big Contract Awarded.

The Fisher Foundry & Machine Company has awarded the contract to the Fort Pitt Bridge Company for an addition to its plant at the corner of Twenty-first and Mary streets, South Side. The estimated cost is $100,000.

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James M. Russell, cashier of the Merchants & Manufacturers bank, will build a $25,000 brick and stone residence in Clyde street, from plans now in the hands of Architects Vydraugh & Wolfe.

New Church for Freeport.

Architect Chauncey W. Hodgdon is preparing plans for the United Presbyterian church at Freeport. The building will be of brick and stone and will cost $10,000.

Bids have been closed on the three-story stone building to be erected by Mrs. Eliza Johnson in Fifth avenue near Robinson street, at a cost of $10,000. James T. Steen was awarded the contract.

Architect H. S. Bair has let the contract to the S. L. Smith Company for a brick and stone residence for Isaac DeKaiser in Wood street, Wilkinsburg. The building will cost $6,000.

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Martin Wm to John C McCausland, Dec 20, '01, 21st wd, Pgh, 26x158, Inwood st 2,600
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Hatch C B to Freehold bank, Mch 4, '02 6,200
Glarner Jno B to Union Ins. Co, Mch 5, '02 5,500
Rafferty F J to Birmingham Co, Feb 28, '02 600
Mels Michael to Peoples Trust Co, Jan 23, '02 3,000
Black Mary S to Peoples Sav. bank, Mch 4, '02 3,100
Best Nettie I et al to Dollar Sav. bank, Feb 1, '02 3,000
Barnes Jane B to German N B & L A, Feb 28, '02 600
Strawinskas Frank to Home B & L A, Feb 28, '02 3,000
Taylor Josia C to New Columbia D & L A, Mch 4, '02 2,000
Burkhart Geo W to Keystone S & L A, Feb 20, '02 1,200
Hillgartner Henry et ux to Lower St. C B & L A, Feb 24, '02 800
Raab Jno to 4th Ave B & L A, Feb 24, '02 1,000
Van Wallaghini L J to same, Feb 24, '02 1,000
Turchnowski Michael to Mozart B & L A, Mch 4, '02 1,800
*Deed Plora, et al to C Meckfessel, Feb 25, '02 1,400
*Kettering G W to S Smith, Mch 2, '02 5,000
McClure D R to J O Snyder, Mch 5, '02 5,800
Lennox A J et ux to M M Boroman, Mch 4, '02 3,600
*Little Lee A to F H Malloch, Feb 18, '02 650
Shaw Lee to W W Blackburn et al, Feb 11, '02 500
King A J to same, Feb 24, '02 2,200
Smith H W to J C Kelly, Mch 4, '02 3,100
Lennox A J et ux to A D Wilson, Mch 4, '02 3,000
*Purchase money.

Mortgages Recorded.

Sweeney Jno F to C Lee, Jr., Mch 4, '02 ..... $ 2,500
Same to same, March 4, '02 1,500
*Bayersmith Wm et ux to same, March 4, '02 15,500
Purks Presley E et ux to H O Hornberger, Mch 3, '02 180
Canuti Fidelio to G L Lee, Feb 27, '02 3,500
*Steffee Jos H to L H Turner, Mch 1, '0 1,500
Sauer Martin J to L Woltram, Mch 1, '02 1,400
Black M C et ux to A Hartman, Feb 6, '02 1,400
*Letsch August to A Brednick, Jan 24, '02 500
McCully Jane to J F Taylor et al, Feb 28, '02 3,600
Same to R M Taylor et al, Feb 28, '02 1,100
*Berkinger Geo W to Emma Lefery, Feb 10, '02 3,800
*Fushan Abraham et al to J S Shafer, Feb 19, '02 3,000
Grandy Thos H et ux to W J Kirk et al, Feb 1, '02 2,000
*Epstein Reuben to Max Markowitz, Feb 25, '02 1,200
Brereth Amelia M to H C Bughman, Feb 25, '02 13,000
Baughman Geo L et ux to R Thornburg, Feb 28, '02 600
Blakeley Jos P to A H Newman, Feb 28, '02 500
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A PECULIARLY ENTERTAINING SPOTTY MARKET

Some Criticism of Continuous Sessions of the Stock Market.

MANY UNLISTED STOCKS

Crucible and United States Steel Are Favorites—Coal Stocks Traded in to Some Extent—Other Features of the Day.

Yesterday's local stock market was peculiar and interesting, though there were periods when its appearance was desolately dull. A good many members are expressing themselves freely that continuous sessions are unnecessary. Possibly a flexible rule permitting continuous sessions on busy days and limiting others to "calls" would suit everybody.

A feature of the day was the number of bids and offers on unlisted securities, indicating how the business of a city in stocks and bonds tends to concentrate on the open exchange. Not many years ago the stock and bond business of this city was all done in private, brokers having orders to buy or stocks to sell, going out upon the streets in search of some one to make a trade with. Those were the days of "wash sales," invoked for the purpose of finding or creating a market. Quotations on "change serve the purpose much better without the false pretense of transactions that never occurred.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges were $150,951 less than a year ago.

Total sales Pittsburgh stock exchange, 6,327 shares; $41,000 bonds.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred strong and in demand.

Many bids and offers on unlisted securities.

General interest in coal stocks.

First sales of North Side Bridge and Pleasant Valley Street Railway.

Narrowness of market with strength.

Lack of wire communication with other centers.

The following is a complete summary of yesterday's official transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. It shows the change in the closing selling prices, compared with the last preceding sales, the total sales of each security, the opening, high, low and closing prices and final bids and offers:

SECURITIES.	Total Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Bid.	Asked.	Change
Allegheny Trust Co.	5	*152	152	152	152	....	....	0
Westinghouse Elec. 2ds	210	80⅞	80⅞	80¼	80⅛	....	....	⅛—
American Window Glass	100	50¼	50¼	50¼	50¼	....	....	¼—
Pittsburgh Brewing	1,400	14½	14½	14½	14½	....	....	½—
Consolidated Ice pfd.	17	38½	38½	38½	38½	....	....	½+
Crucible Steel	700	23¾	23¾	23¼	23¼	....	....	⅜—
Do preferred	1,000	87⅞	87⅞	87¾	87⅜	....	....	⅜—
United States Steel	650	43⅝	43⅝	43⅜	43⅜	....	....	⅛—
Do preferred	225	95¾	95¾	94¾	95	....	....	⅛+
Lester Mining Co.	210	12	12½	12	12½	....	....	½+
Pittsburgh Wire Mfg. pfd.	141	92	92	91½	91½	....	....	½—
Monongahela Water	40	40	40	40	40	....	....	0
North Side Bridge	5	15	15	15	15	....	....	0
Monongahela River Coal	750	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	....	....	0
Do preferred	1,000	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	....	....	⅛—
Pittsburgh Coal	310	25	25⅛	25	25	....	....	0
Do preferred	737	90½	90⅝	90¼	90⅜	....	....	⅛—
Pittsburgh Brewing pfd.	100	44½	44½	44½	44½	....	....	0
Philadelphia Co.	180	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	....	....	0
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	200	84	84	84	84	....	....	1 +
Westinghouse Airbrake	140	180½	180½	180	180	....	....	0
Pleasant Valley	20	26	26	26	26	....	....	0
Total	6,327							
BONDS.								
U. S. Steel series A	$ 2,000	114	114	114	114	....	....	0
Do. series B	10,000	114½	114½	114¾	114⅝	....	....	0
Monongahela St. Ry.	3,000	115	115	115	115	....	....	0
Philadelphia Co. (new)	21,000	106¼	106⅛	106¼	106⅛	....	....	0
Pgh. Nat. Gas	2,000	98½	98½	98½	98½	....	....	0
Pittsburgh Brewing	4,000	111	111	111	111	....	....	0
Total	$41,000							
Philadelphia Co. scrip	$ 2,000	48½	48½	48	48	....	....	½—
Do pfd. scrip	67 50	48	48	46½	46½	....	....	1½—
Do bonds	1,430 00	106	106	106	106	....	....	0
Total	$1,565 00							
Manon Water warrants	1 20-25	40½	40½	40	40	....	....	1 —
C. D. & P. Tel. warrants	1-6	23¼	23¼	23¼	23¼	....	....	....
Total	1 1-6	15						

As usual Crucible Steel was the leader in the trading, both common and preferred being dealt in freely. There are whisperings that the company's forthcoming report will show largely increased earnings. There is more pronounced talk about United States Steel earnings, which are now estimated at $111,000,000 for the year, a sum that might have been added to had it not been for the difficulty in getting products and raw materials transported promptly. One New York authority strongly advises holding United States Steel preferred.

Pittsburgh Brewing was a shade firmer on the report of increased sales during the zero month of February. The natural deduction is there will be "something doing" when the thermometer rises to thirst creating degrees.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred was firmer and Monongahela River Coal common slightly weaker in the trading yesterday. Westinghouse Airbrake took on another half-dollar of estimation value with few and small transfers. Westinghouse Electric seconds were fractionally lower at the close.

In a general way the market was "spotted" and irregular. The bond section attracted almost as much attention as the shares, an indication that some people are seeking investments which do not need to be watched every hour. The total business of the day was "just fair."

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90¼
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89½
7 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89¾
1 N. E. Proof pfd.. 42
25 U. S. Steel pfd.... 95
50 U. S. Steel pfd.... 95¼
10 West. Elec. 2ds.... 80½
100 M. R. Coal com.... 42⅝
200 M. R. Coal com.... 42¾
4 M. R. Coal com.... 42
5 M. R. Coal com.... 42⅝
20 M. R. Coal com.... 42⅜
50 Crucible Stl. com.... 23¼
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
15 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87½
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
5 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅜
2 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
25 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅜
50 Pgh. Coal com.... 25
50 U. S. Steel pfd.... 95⅝
50 P. S. Car pfd.... 84
40 P. S. Car pfd.... 84
10 P. S. Car pfd.... 84
100 Phil. Co. pfd.... 40½
50 Phil. Co. com.... 40⅝

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

50 Pgh. Coal com.... 25
10 Pgh. Coal com.... 25⅛
200 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90¼
2 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90
170 Lustre Mining Co. 4½
50 Pgh. P. G. com.... 140
10 Crucible Stl. com.... 23⅛
500 Crucible Stl. com.... 23⅝
50 M. R. Coal com.... 42⅜
20 West. Airbrake.... 180½
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10 West. Airbrake.... 180½
200 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅛
3 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅛
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅜
10 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅛
30 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅛
100 U. S. Steel com.... 43½
40 N. E. Proof pfd.... 41½
50 West. Elec. 2ds.... 80⅝
100 U. S. Steel com.... 43⅝
14 Phil. Co. com.... 40⅜
100 P. S. Car pfd.... 84
5 Allegheny Trust.... 152

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

5 Pgh. Brew. pfd.... 44½
50 Pgh. Brew. pfd.... 44½
10 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90⅜
255 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90¼
25 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 90⅝
20 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87½
20 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
200 M. R. Coal com.... 42¾
100 A. W. Glass com.... 50⅜
1 Monon. Water.... 40
40 Lustre Mining.... 12½
100 Crucible Stl. com.... 23¾
100 Crucible Stl. com.... 23¼

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

75 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅜
50 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
100 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅜
10 Crucible Stl. pfd.... 87⅝
50 shares Pressed Steel Car pfd.... 84
50 shares Philadelphia Co.... 40⅝
50 shares United States Steel pfd.... 95¼
139 shares M. P.... 99¼

The total public sales were 6,327 shares of stock, $41,000 bonds, $1,565 scrip and 1 1-20-150 warrants. Total same day last week, 6,573 shares of stock, $4,000 bonds, $20 scrip and 1 11-50 warrants. Total same day last year, 6,171 shares of stock and $2,000 bonds.

The official closing bids and offers were:

STOCKS.	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Pgh. Bks.	....	....	Guarantee	134	....	Miscel.			Phila. Co.	48¾	49
Bk. of Pgh.	....	145	Am. Bks.	....	....	A. W. Glass	50	50¼	P. S. Car pfd.	84	....
Citizens	....	111	D.S.T. & T.	250	257	Do pfd.	87	90	S. Nat. Gas	....	220
Exchange	....	160	W.S.B. & T.	225	....	Con. Ice	13¾	14¾	U. S. Glass	37	38
Fifth Ave.	56	....	Nat. Gas	....	....	Do pfd.	58	....	Do pfd.	140	....
Iron City	....	121	Port Pitt.	....	57½	Cruc. Steel	23¼	23¾	W. Airbrake	180	....
Monong'a	265	270	P.N.G. & P.	....	28¾	Do pfd.	87½	87¾	N. E. Proof	39¾	39¾
P. N. B.	....	440	Mining.			Lester Coal	....	....	Do pfd.	41¾	41¾
Peoples N.	....	360	Bridge.			Do pfd.	....	43¾	U. S. Steel	43	43⅛
Tradesmens	175	....	Ewalt st.	....	64	Marsden	....	47½	Miscel.		
Trust Cos.			City Rys.			Mon. Water	40	....	M. P. & P.	100	100½
Mercantile	....	190	Pleas. Val.	26	....	P.B. & L.E.	36¾	....	Pgh. Brew.	24½	25¾
Pgh. Trust	....	201	Railroad.			Pgh. Brew.	44¾	44¾	M.R. Coal 1st	117¾	....
Equitable	....	118	A. V. pfd.	27½	27½	Pgh. Coal	25	25¼	M.R. Coal 2d	111¾	....
Real Estate	273½	276	Electric.			Do pfd.	90¾	90¾	P.R. & L.E.	110¾	110¾
American	132½	134	Westing. 2ds.	89	....	P. Pl. Glass	....	150	P. Brew. 6s	110¾	111

Financial Drift.

Wilkinsburg bank bid at 68.

Colonial Trust offered at 385.

Keystone Car Wheel offered at 50.

Union Realty was offered at 100.

Peoples Trust, South Side, offered at 112.

South Side Trust, 112¾ bid, offered at 113½.

Total sales of stock for the day, 6,327 shares.

Room traders in New York nearly all bearish.

Federal National bank, 136 bid, offered at 140.

There was a bid of 81 for Fayette County Gas.

Manufacturers Light and Heat offered at 59½.

Pittsburgh Valve Fitting Company offered at 55.

Duquesne Brewing Company bonds offered at 110.

Erie was heavy on account of flood damages to some factories later on.

First sale of Pleasant Valley on the exchange, 20 shares at 26.

United States Steel firm on reports of very large January earnings.

Robinson Bros. were buyers of Crucible Steel and Pittsburgh Coal.

The first sale of North Side Bridge was made on change yesterday at 15.

Considerable interest in bond section. Sales, $41,000 bonds and $1,565 scrip.

A bid of 75 was made for J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company. Offered at 85.

A dividend of 2 per cent has been declared on Cambria Iron stock, payable April 1.

Northwest earnings reported large earnings and near approach of dividend period.

Reading was sold at New York on rumors of impending trouble with anthracite miners.

One New York says banks are hoarding gold abroad to stiffen money rates and stimulate demand.

Real Estate Trust opened with a bid of 267, and sales announced at noon to 271½. None offered below 280.

The United States supreme court yesterday sustained the Illinois statute declaring trading in futures to be gambling. This is worrying the Chicago board of trade.

Sproul & Co.'s New York representative wired that Shaffer and his friends were in New York making deals with United States Steel. Probably Tin Plate section.

The Consolidated stock exchange held its annual election and elected the following officers and directors for the ensuing year: President, A. A. Adams; vice president, J. J. Campbell; treasurer, J. N. Montgomery; directors, F. L. Fast, R. W. Hervey, Frank Vogelsey, T. Rosenbaum, C. B. Wanner, J. L. Johnston and C. B. Wade.

New York advices were of further engagements of gold for export and losses from banks to sub-treasury, indicating another unfavorable bank statement. Gold engagements yesterday over $4,000,000, and a usually good authority said he had information of pending arrangements that will bring the total to $6,000,000 by Thursday.

The Provident Trust Company of Allegheny, which has just opened for business, has completed its board of directors, which now stands as follows: Charles Geyer, E. R. Kopp, Eugene D. Gerwig, Charles F. Ober, Henry Aldrich, Edwin L. Stephenson, George W. Eisenbeis, E. M. Schlag. The officers are: Charles Geyer, president; E. R. Kopp, vice president, and C. O. Spillman, secretary and treasurer.

Tonopah stock took for a generally firm opening today, but a reaction later on, with nothing more than a narrow and professional market throughout. On any further advices of any shifting of profits especially to those stocks which yesterday scored the sharpest advances, namely, Rock Island, Northwestern, Lackawanna and General Electric. Hold your steel preferred. North Side Bridge reason for believing that it will sell considerably higher in the not distant future. There is yet no money to be made on the short side, but in view of the possibility of outside orders it seems advisable for the time being to sell on the bulges and buy on all moderate recessions. Brooklyn Rapid Transit looks like going higher. The curb market for American securities firm, with prices for rails ¼ to ⅜ above the parity of our closing of yesterday.

Consolidated Stock Exchange.

The posted sales in detail on the Pittsburgh Consolidated stock exchange were:

20 shares Pittsburgh Coal pfd.... 90¼
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50 shares Monongahela River Coal com.... 42⅜
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50 shares Crucible Steel com.... 23⅞
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EXCHANGES WERE SMALLER.

Yesterday's Bank Settlements Were $150,951 Less Than for Same Day Last Year.

Light trading on the Stock exchange and interruption of communication with other cities had its effects upon clearing house operations. Exchanges yesterday were $150,951 less than for same day last year, and $3,502,000 less than for the same day last week. Money in good demand and tending in the market to harden. Prevailing rate 5 per cent with fair share of loans at 6 per cent. The official clearing house reports in detail for the days mentioned are as follows:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$ 6,528,253 63	$1,113,576 30
Previous Tuesday	10,030,991 59	1,321,057 44
Last year	6,679,205 10	1,251,852 11

Yesterday's decrease, $150,951 46.

Reports from other cities were:

NEW YORK, March 4.—Exchanges, $208,506,457; balances, $12,027,810.

BOSTON, March 4.—Exchanges, $27,512,262; balances, $2,436,652.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Clearings, $25,288,421; balances, $2,254,871. Money, 4 per cent.

BALTIMORE, March 4.—Clearings, $4,249,888; balances, $888,827. Money, 4½ per cent.

CHICAGO, March 4.—Clearings, $21,437,216; balances, $2,758,344. Posted exchanges, sterling, 60 days, $4 83½ for demand. New York exchange, 20c discount.

CINCINNATI, March 4.—Money, 3½@5½ per cent. New York exchange, 10@15c discount. Clearings, $3,433,700.

ST. LOUIS, March 4.—Clearings, $8,740,885; balances, $1,448,857. Money, 4@6 per cent. New York exchange, 10c premium.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CENTRAL LIVE STOCK YARDS.

Tuesday, March 4, 1902.

Cattle—Supply quiet; market steady. Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $6 40@6 60; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs., $6 20@6 40; good, 1,100 to 1,200 lbs., $5 75@6 00; tidy butchers, $5 00@5 50; fair, $4 25@5 00; common to good fat cows and springers, $3 50@4 00; common to fair fresh cows, $25 00@40 00.

Hogs—Receipts light, demand good; market active and higher. Prime heavies, $6 00@6 10; mediums, $6 15@6 20; heavy Yorkers, $6 00@6 10; light Yorkers, $5 90@6 00; pigs, $5 50@5 90; roughs and stags, $4 50@5 00.

Sheep—Supply fair; market steady on lambs and best sheep; common and medium sheep slow. Best wethers, 40 to 100 lbs., $5 25@5 50; good, 40 to 100 lbs., $5 00@5 25; culls to fair, 40 to 100 lbs., $4 00@4 75; culled and common, $2 00@3 50; yearlings, $5 00@5 75; choice lambs, $6 25@6 50; common to good, $4 50@6 30; veal, $5 50@6 00; heavy and thin calves, $4 00@5 00.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 4.—Beeves—Receipts, 567 head, all consigned direct; a few bulls sold at $3 00@4 25; a few dry cows at $2 50; nibbler quoted American live steers at 12½@13c; dressed weights; refrigerator beef at 10@10½c per pound. Calves—Receipts, 144 head, with delayed stock beginning to arrive, prices tumbled 50c to 75c from yesterday, and all but extreme top sales at $6 00@6 50. The close was dull with about 500 head to carry over. Extreme range for veals, $4 00@7 00; general sales, $5 50@6 50. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; general line weak; market predicted to break badly shortly when delayed stock arrives; sales of desirable weight sheep and lambs steady. Sheep sold at $4 00@4 60; lambs at $6 50@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 1,353 head; prices steady but undercurrent of weakness; sales of western hogs at $6 30 of western hogs at $6 50.

CHICAGO, March 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000 head, including 300 head Texans; market steady; good to prime steers nominal, $6 05@7 00; poor to medium, $4 00@5 90; feeders and feeders, $2 50@5 30; cows, $1 25@4 50; heifers, $2 50@5 50; canners, $1 25@2 30; bulls, $2 50@4 60; calves, $3 50@6 25; Texas-fed steers, $4 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts today, 19,000 head; tomorrow, 25,000 head; left over, 3,000 head; bulk, 5c@10c lower than early yesterday; mixed and butchers, $5 85@6 35; good to prime heavy, $6 25@6 40; rough heavy, $5 90@6 15; light, $5 75@6 10; bulk of sales, $5 95@6 20. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head; market steady; lambs strong to 10c higher; good to choice wethers, $4 75@5 25; western sheep, $4 60@5 15; native lambs, $4 75@6 50; western lambs, $5 50@6 60.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., March 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 600 head; market fairly active and 10@15c higher for fat shipping cattle; choice steers, 1,400 lbs and upwards, $6 25@6 40; good export, $5 85@6 10; fair to good shippers, $5 50@5 80; light butchers, $4 50@5 25; bulk of butchers and fat stock, old; veals, tops, $7 00@7 25; others, $5 00@6 75. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market active and higher for good to prime heavy, $6 25@6 40; mixed and mediums, $6 40@6 50; pigs, $5 75@5 80; bulk at $5 75; roughs, $5 70@6 10; stags, $4 00@4 50. Lambs active and shade stronger; tops, $6 50@6 60; culls to fair, $5 00@6 40; sheep firm, tops, mixed, $5 40@5 25; culls to good, $3 25@4 00; wethers, $5 25@5 60; yearlings, $5 60@5 80.

CINCINNATI, March 4.—Hogs higher at $5 35@6 05. Cattle active and strong, $2 50@5 85. Sheep steady, $2 25@5 25. Lambs strong, $4 00@6 35.

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Decline of Five Points in Sugar Prices

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Timothy Hay Weaker—Southern Parsley Slightly Lower.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

There was quite a difference between receipts of Monday and those of yesterday, over 100 carloads less arriving than on the first business day of the week. Quotations remained unchanged, except for a slight weakening in top grades of timothy hay, which declined 25 cents a ton.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 6 cars hay, 4 cars feed, 5 cars oats, 1 car straw, 1 car rye; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car husks, 3 cars oats. Total receipts, 23 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, milfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 50@8 00; wheat, $7 50@8 00; rye, $8 50@9 75.

Hay—Choice timothy, $14 50@15 00; No. 1 do, $14 25@14 50; No. 2 do, $12 00@13 00; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 clover, $11 00@11 50; prairie, $11 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@10 00; from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Bran—Winter, delivered, No. 2 Pittsburg, 68½@69c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, winter, 75@76c f. o. b. cars within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, shelled, 66@66½c; high mixed, 65@65½c; No. 2 mixed, 64@65c; No. 2 color, car, 67½@70c; high mixed, 68½@69½c; No. 2 mixed, 67½@68½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 42½@56c; extra No. 3, 48½@49c; regular, 47½@48c.

Milfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $21 50@22 00; brown, $20 50@21 00; bran, $21 50@22 00.

Groceries.

The feature yesterday was a decline in sugar, amounting to five points on all grades. The announcement had been heralded by a rumor indicating its possibility, although no sufficient reason is as yet understood by jobbers for the action. Sugar made advanced by fifths last week, gains no strength in the local market, where it is merely holding its own. Other lines unchanged.

Fluctuating jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents $4 05@4 10; fancy winter patents, $4 00@4 10; straight winter, $4 00@4 75; bakers' spring, $3 60@3 60; rye, $3 45@3 55; graham, $4 25@4 50; cornmeal, bbl, $4 75; 100-lb cotton bags, 200.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.75c; fine granulated, 4.90c; 100-lb and 225-lb bags, 4.75c; 50 2-lb cartons and 20 5-lb. jute bags, 4.90c; powdered, 4.85c; powdered XXXX, 4.90; cubes, 5.00c; cutloaf, 5.35c; confectioners' A, 4.75c; No. 1 white, 4.70c; No. 2 do, 4.20c; No. 1 yellow, 4.15c; No. 2 do, 4.10c; No. 3 do, 4.05c. Quotations are f. o. b. cars New York, which gives cost at our nearest railroad station. The price for Pittsburgh is 15c per 100 lbs in addition to the above.

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 10; kegs, $2 75; packages, $2 50@3 10; oatmeal, bbls, $5 50; kegs, $2 80.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 38@40c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@32c; sugar and cane, 26@29c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 95 @2 10 per case.

Coffee—Roasted bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 12½@21½c; Maracaibo, 14@17½c; Peaberry, 17½c; Caracas, 15@16c; Mocha, 25@30c; Java, 28@32c. Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs, 10.50c (with rebate of 3½c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.50@16.50c.

Beans—Prime marrowfat, bu, $2 45@2 50; H. P. navy, $1 85@1 90; red kidney, $2 45@ $2 50; white kidney, $2 70@2 75.

Peas—Dried peas, $1 00@1 05; Scotch, per bu, $1 70@1 75; split peas, bbl, $5 50; less, 25 per lb.

Rice—Carolina, 110 dec, 8½c; headlight, 6½c; water white, 6½c; Elaine, 14c; Ohio W. W. test, 10c; miners' 10@6, 5½@5½c; special brands, 25@43c; prime table, 6@6½c; fancy Japan, 5½c; choice Carolina, 6@6½c; prime Carolina, 4½@5½c.

Salt—Ohio, $1 00 per bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 30, granulated rock, 95c sack; pocket salt, $1 70@2 00.

Fish—No. 1 mess mackerel, bbls, $22 00; half bbls, $12 00; 10-lb pails, $2 40; 20-lb pails, $2 75; 10-lb pails, $1 50; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbls, $15 50; half bbls, $8; quarter bbls, $4 25; 20-lb pails, $1 90; 10-lb pails, $1 05; No. 3 mackerel, 100 lbs, $4 00; 20-lbs, $1 05; 10 lbs, 50c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 50@2 60; yellow, 2 lbs, 2 peaches, $1 40@2 25; Maryland peaches, $1 25@1 75; California Y. P., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, 90@$1 00; corn, 2 lbs, 85c; California cherries, wines, $2 00@2 25; lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 75@80c; string do, 65@$1 25; marrowfat peas, 95c@$1 10; early June peas, $1 00@1 50; soaked peas, 50@60c; New York apples, gal cans, $3 40; doz; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; Lemon plums, $1 05; California plums, $1 35@1 60; raspberries, 85@90c; gooseberries, 85@90c; standard tomatoes, $1 30@1 35; fancy do, $1 40@1 50; salmon, doz 1-lb cans, $1 60@2 30; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65@90c; shipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 00@2 75; 2-lb corned and roast beef cans, $1 55@2 35; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3 25@3 35; mustards, ¼s, $2 70; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 95c@$1 25; 2-lb full weight, $1 80; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 10½@11c; 25-lb boxes, 11½@12c; apples, in bulk, 100-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9@9½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 6¾@7½c per lb; Ondaria Valencia, 8@8½c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 25@27½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 8@8½c; California prunes, 4½@7½c.

Fruits and Produce.

There was scarcely a ripple in the price current yesterday, where figures remained fixed at prices quoted in the morning, with the exception of a lowering in parsley, while some reduced figures were reported in sales of imported potatoes. Sweet potatoes are still in light supply while in nearly all other lines receipts are fairly plentiful.

Apples—Choice and fancy, $3 50@3 75; Cal-fornia, per box, $1 65@1 85.

Hay—Choice timothy, $14 50@15 00; No. 1 do, $14 25@14 50; No. 2 do, $12 00@13 00; No. 1 mixed, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 clover, $11 00@ 11 50; prairie, $11 50@11 00; packing, $8 00@ 10 00; from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Potatoes—On track, per bu, 75@80c; car-loads, heavy, 65@70c; family from store, 90@ 95c; foreign, per bag, $2 10@2 50; Bermuda, per bbl, $8 00@9 00; Jersey sweets, fancy, $5 00@5 50; common, $4 75@5 00; Jersey sweets, medium, $4 00@4 50.

Brussels Sprouts—Per qt, 18@20c.

Onions—Per bbl, $3 00@3 25; per bu, $1 25 @1 50; Spanish, per crate, $1 60@1 75; silver skins, $2 50@4 00; Valencia, per crate, $4 00@4 25.

Horseradish—Per lb, $8 00@6 50.

Watercress—Per doz, 40@50c.

Oyster Plants—Per doz, 30@40c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c.

California Golden Heart, $2 25@4 00; White Plume, $2 50@2 75.

Limabeans—Per lbs, $1 00@1 25.

Cabbage—German seed, per ton, $20 00@ 22 00; per bbl, $1 50@1 75; red, per bbl, $2 00 @2 25.

Tabl—New sweet apple juice, bbls, $4 50@ 5 00; old sharp apple juice, bbl, $1 50@3 00; choice crabapple juice, bbl, $3 00@3 50; refined apple juice, bbl, $4 50@5 00; grape juice, $3 00; 30-gal. kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure grape juice, 25@30c; sand refined, per bbl, $5 75@ 6 00; kegs, $3 50; per gal, 12@20c.

Tom—Washed, $1 20@1 75; unwashed, $1 00@1 25.

Cauliflower—California, $2 00@2 50 per crate.

Leeks—Per doz, 40@50c.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $2 25@2 50; per bu, $50 @60c.

Beets—Per bbl, $2 50@2 75; per bu, $20 00@ 25 00; new, per bunch, 4@5c.

Parsley—New southern, per doz, 75@80c.

Mushrooms—Per lb, 40@50c.

Radishes—Per doz, 30@35c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 50@40c; hothouse, 40@50c per basket; head lettuce, bbl, $7 00@8 00; Endive, $6 00@7 00; Florida, hampers, $2 50@3 00; poor to common, $1 00@ 2 00.

Tomatoes—Florida, 6 basket carriers, $3 00 @3 50.

Florida Egg Plant—Per box, $5 00@6 00.

Spinach—Per bu, 25@35c.

Green Onions—Per doz, 20@25c; New Orleans Charlottes, 50@60c doz.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@8c.

String Beans—Green, $4 00@5 00; wax, $5 00 @6 00.

Strawberries—Florida, per qt, 40@45c.

Kohlrobi—Per doz bunches, 50@60c.

Spinach—Per bu, 25@35c; New York or white clover, 17@18c; buckwheat, 11@12c.

Maple Syrup—75@$1 00 per gallon.

Maple Sugar—Per crate, $5 50@4 00.

Cranberries—Per crate, $1 50@2 00; per bbl, $7 00@8 00.

Green Peas—California, 4-basket carriers, $2 50@3 00.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 50@65c.

Kale—Per bbl, $1 25@1 50.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Limes—Per box, $1 00.

Lemons—California, $2 00@3 25; Messina, $3 00@3 50.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $3 25@3 50.

California Pomegranates, $2 75@3 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $3 25.

Almeria Grapes—Per keg, $4 50@6 00.

Oranges—California navel, $2 75@3 50; seedlings, $2 50@2 75.

Bananas—Firsts, $1 50@1 75; eights, $1 00@ 1 25; seconds, 75@$1 00.

Nuts—Almonds, 18c; new filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 14@15c; pecans, 12@15c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand picked, 6c per lb; shellbarks, $1 50@2 00 per bu; walnuts, soft shell, 85@90c. St. John's bread, per lb, 4c; California papershell almonds, 16c; Italian chestnuts, 6c.

Grape Fruit—Per box, $5 50@8 00.

Cocoanuts—Per bag, $3 25@3 50; per 100, $5 00@5 50; foreign, per bag, $2 10@2 50; Bermuda, per bbl, $8 00@9 00; Jersey sweets, fancy, $5 00@5 50; common, $4 75@5 00; Jersey sweets, medium, $4 00@4 50.

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Horseradish—Per lb, $8 00@6 50.

Watercress—Per doz, 40@50c.

Oyster Plants—Per doz, 30@40c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c.

California Golden Heart, $2 25@4 00; White Plume, $2 50@2 75.

Limabeans—Per lbs, $1 00@1 25.

Cabbage—German seed, per ton, $20 00@ 22 00; per bbl, $1 50@1 75; red, per bbl, $2 00 @2 25.

Tabl—New sweet apple juice, bbls, $4 50@ 5 00; old sharp apple juice, bbl, $1 50@3 00; choice crabapple juice, bbl, $3 00@3 50; refined apple juice, bbl, $4 50@5 00; grape juice, $3 00; 30-gal. kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure grape juice, 25@30c; sand refined, per bbl, $5 75@ 6 00; kegs, $3 50; per gal, 12@20c.

Tom—Washed, $1 20@1 75; unwashed, $1 00@1 25.

Cauliflower—California, $2 00@2 50 per crate.

Leeks—Per doz, 40@50c.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $2 25@2 50; per bu, $50 @60c.

Beets—Per bbl, $2 50@2 75; per bu, $20 00@ 25 00; new, per bunch, 4@5c.

Parsley—New southern, per doz, 75@80c.

Mushrooms—Per lb, 40@50c.

Radishes—Per do

THE PHILIPPINE MEASURE WITH THE PRESIDENT

Both Branches of Congress Have Agreed to the Conference Report.

A CIVIL SERVICE DEBATE

The Bill to Classify the Rural Free Delivery Service Likely to Be Defeated—Frye Further Champions the Shipping Legislation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—The conference report on the Philippine tariff bill was adopted by the house today. The vote was on party lines, except that Messrs. McCall of Massachusetts, Littlefield of Maine, and Heatwole of Minnesota, voted with the Democrats against adopting the report. The bill now goes to the president.

The house spent another day in discussion of the bill to classify the rural free delivery service and place the carriers under the contract system. No vote was reached, and it is doubtful whether one will be had tomorrow, as the list of speakers is still large. The fate of the bill is in doubt, although the impression prevails that it will be defeated.

The ship subsidy bill was further discussed in the senate today by Mr. Frye. His remarks were directed principally to the Republican senators, and he gave further expression to his views that the subsidy bill is a logical response to the demands and principles of the Republican party, and that in its preparation he had obviated the objections entertained by senators friendly to the measure.

No other senators desiring to speak today the bill was laid aside and a number of other bills were passed.

Mr. Hoar gave notice that he would on Thursday, after the disposition of routine business, call up the bill for the protection of the president of the United States and press it each day until a vote is taken upon it.

PRESSURE ON SIBLEY.

Friends from Various Localities Trying to Induce Him to Be a Candidate for Governor.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—Editor Phelps of the Erie Times paid Representative Sibley a visit last night to induce him to be a candidate for governor. While Mr. Sibley would not agree to the request, he repeated that he will accept if nominated. Representative Acheson today urged Mr. Sibley to enter the contest actively and assured him that there is a strong sentiment in his favor in Washington county and the southwest section. To the writer Mr. Acheson said afterward:

"There is a good deal of sentiment in Washington county in favor of Mr. Sibley for governor. A number of our leading Republicans have spoken to me on this subject and in addition I have received many letters of the same tenor. Washington county is overwhelmingly against the nomination of Mr. Elkin, and will gladly support a strong and popular candidate. Mr. Sibley numbers the farmers as among his strongest supporters, and his recent speech against government irrigation of the arid lands of the west has made him even more popular with them. In addition, we have in Washington county many citizens who came there during the oil excitement from around Mr. Sibley's home. All are enthusiastic supporters of Sibley for the nomination. I urged him today to make an active canvass."

W. Johnston, who was one of the delegates from Fayette county to the last convention that nominated a governor, and is a candidate for delegate to the coming convention, in speaking of the situation today, said:

"There is a great deal of feeling against the nomination of Mr. Elkin in Fayette county. We want a strong and popular candidate, and our delegates probably will be instructed to that effect. We are not committed to any candidate, but there is some sentiment in the county in favor of the nomination of Mr. Sibley. He is strong, especially with the laboring men."

OPPOSED TO POSTMASTER.

Strong Element at New Haven, Fayette County, Trying to Secure a New Appointment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—Wash Johnston of Fayette county was at the capitol today conferring with Representative Acheson and Senator Penrose regarding the postmastership of New Haven, that county. Postmaster Scott, who was appointed last summer, has not been confirmed, and there is a good deal of opposition to his confirmation. Johnston wishes another man appointed, and has been advised that if the local leaders will decide upon a man he will be given the appointment. The salary of the office is $1,100 a year.

Representative Evans has recommended the appointment of A. B. Clark as postmaster at Hastings at $1,200 a year. Postmaster Henry J. Van Dusen did not desire another term, and indorsed the application of Mr. Clark.

Representative Bates has recommended the appointment of these postmasters: B. L. Venn at Springboro, Crawford county, vice King, deceased; John Silverthorn at Francis, Erie county, vice the incumbent, resigned.

Representative Sibley has secured the establishment of a new postoffice at Halsey, McKean county.

Representative Showalter has recommended the establishment of two rural delivery of mail routes from Enon Valley, Lawrence county.

These postmasters were appointed today: Pennsylvania—Blair Station, Allegheny county, M. H. White; Wilburne, Clearfield county, Richard George. West Virginia—Scarbro, Fayette county, J. W. Wilson.

On April 1 two rural free delivery routes will be established at Miles Grove, Erie county, Pa., with Perls D. Kepler and John W. Ford, carriers.

THE PENSION ROLL.

Additions Proposed by Legislation and Granted by Bureau.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—(Special.)—Representative Showalter introduced in the house today a bill granting a pension of $20 a month to Samuel B. Wilson; also a bill to correct the military record of Perry Childs.

The following pensions were granted today:

Pennsylvania—David Cheney, Cherry Hill, $6; William B. Gruver, Hagars, $17; Justus B. Clark, Canoe Camp, $10; Samuel M. Walton, Rices Landing, $10; Abraham Berry, Washington, $12; Hiram W. Carpenter, East Smithfield, $17; John C. Dudley, Harrisburg, $8; Abraham Rhodabarger, Emlenton, $10; William Russell, Clearfield, $10; Alexander Gemstead, Lees Cross Roads, $10; Lyman Gilbert, Homer City, $24; Ellen McGinty, Altoona, $8, Catherine Behr, Nicktown, $8; Agnes M. Horn, DuBois, $8.

Ohio—Joshua Dawes, Barnesville, $17; Isiah Groves, Wellsville, $8; Samuel R. Thompson, Urichsville, $10; Andrew J. Moon, East Liverpool, $12; Rickey Mayers, Canal Dover, $8, Sarah Dorlet, Nelsonville, $8; Flora L. Graeter, Warren, $8.

West Virginia—William Colben, Shinnston, $8; Arnold Mead, Preston, $8.

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CASSATT APPROVES PITTSBURGH IMPROVEMENTS

INTERESTING DATA IN ANNUAL REPORT

Pennsylvania Railroad Stockholders Are Told Where and How Much Money Is Being Spent.

The annual report of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, printed in yesterday's Gazette, is particularly interesting. After reviewing the work in progress here, including the Union station construction, the Fort Wayne bridge, the Panhandle and Monongahela division improvements and the Allegheny track elevations, President Cassatt says: "The most liberal expenditure will be necessary in the district of which Pittsburgh is the center to enable your company to handle promptly and effectively the freight traffic originating and concentrating at the point, and this will be required not only on your main line, but on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston and the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railways on the South Side."

He says further: "The extraordinary expenditure during the current year will be largely confined to the work now under way, covering the improvement on the passenger line between Broad street station and Overbrook, the completion of office building, trainshed and other terminal improvements at Pittsburgh and the completion of the four-track system between Ducannon and Aqueduct, Lewistown Narrows and Mifflin and Mount Union and Mill Creek on the middle division, and between Wilmore and Summerhill, Latrobe and Beatty and Larimer and Stewart on the Pittsburgh division.

"It will also be necessary to improve the passenger station at Harrisburg, to construct a new single track tunnel at Gallitzin and hereafter rebuild the old tunnel, and to improve the Port Perry bridge and tunnel so as to accommodate the traffic passing to and from the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railway."

For these and other like purposes the company has transferred to the extraordinary expenditure fund $3,000,000.

The report shows that $1,419,756 was devoted to improvement on the Panhandle last year, and in addition $1,526,702 was paid to to stockholders in dividends, $907,970 on the preferred stock at 4 per cent.

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and $618,872 on the common at 2½ per cent, the first year in the Panhandle's history that the common stock has paid dividends. The sum of $10,824,595 was spent for revision of grades and alignment and abolition of grade crossings and for other improvements on the Pennsylvania east of Pittsburgh and Erie alone. At the end of the year the company shows a balance to credit of profit and loss of $24,310,476.

Maroney Studying Needs of the Erie.

More changes in the operating department of the Erie are expected soon as the result of a plan of President F. D. Underwood that has been carried out very quietly. As is well known, Mr. Underwood, while general manager of the Baltimore & Ohio, rated the abilities of D. F. Maroney, general superintendent at Pittsburgh, as exceptional. For the past few weeks Mr. Maroney has been studying every part of the Erie system in detail, preparing to report to Mr. Underwood such changes in methods of car handling, in terminal arrangement, plans of organization of the transportation department and such other operating matters as in Mr. Maroney's opinion would bring the Erie service to the perfection Mr. Underwood desires.

MURRAY DENIES THAT HE INTENDS TO QUIT

Vice President of the Baltimore & Ohio Makes Answer to Some Published Reports.

Oscar G. Murray, vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio, who has just returned to Baltimore headquarters after a two-months' vacation, again denies the reports that he intends to leave that road. The last report is that he will become the active head of the Big Four after the reorganization of the executive offices upon the retirement of President M. E. Ingalls next summer. Mr. Murray was with the Big Four for many years and his close personal friendship with W. H. Newman, head of the Vanderbilt lines, added plausibility to the report.

When asked about his intentions in reorganizing the traffic department Mr. Murray said that he would reach that in a few days and hoped to have it completed in a month soon. The organization is for the purpose of systematizing the department and effecting economies in its conduct, he says. The increase in the number of lines of the system has necessitated such a plan.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The Baltimore & Ohio has purchased 16 acres of land at Palmesville, O., on the Pittsburgh & Western and will establish car and locomotive shops there in the spring. About 300 men will be employed.

R. H. Brown, formerly engineer of maintenance of way of the Richmond division of the Panhandle, has been selected by Senator Clark of Montana as chief engineer of the Salt Lake-Los Angeles line the Clark syndicate is constructing.

In accordance with an ordinance just passed by Baltimore councils advertisements will be made at once for bids for the Western Maryland railroad. All bids so far are purely informal, the city having issued no call for them, nor formally announced its intentions of disposing of its control of the road. The ordinance specifically provides that bidders must name the interests they represent.

Sons of Eminent Men Favored.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—The president has made the following appointments for cadetship at the naval academy: Ralph Earle Sampson, son of Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson, principal; Woodward Phillip, son of the late Rear Admiral Phillip, first alternate; O. W. Howard, son of Maj. Gen. Howard, U. S. A., second alternate, and Presley Morgan Taylor, son of Rear Admiral Henry C. Taylor, third alternate.

Porto Rican Laws Revised.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4.—The commission to revise and compile the old Spanish laws of Porto Rico has submitted its report to the attorney general. The commission consisted of Joseph F. Daly of New York, E. St. Royce of Pennsylvania and Juan Hernandez Lopez of Porto Rico. The report is in two volumes in English and Spanish.

THROUGH TO DETROIT.

No Change of Cars from Pittsburgh.

The train leaves Pittsburgh Union station at 10:30 a. m., city time, every day has a drawing room sleeping car which goes through to Detroit via Toledo. This train is the new one placed in service by the Pennsylvania Company and is made up of vestibule coaches and sleeping cars which run solid between Pittsburgh and Toledo, reaching that city at 5:25 a. m. Passengers in the Toledo sleeping car may remain in their berths until 7 a. m. Those in the Detroit car reach their destination at 7:45 a. m. Returning the through service leaves Detroit 6:35 p. m., Toledo 9 p. m., and arrives Pittsburgh next morning at 6 o'clock, city time.

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HIS CAREER REVIEWED

Charles Emory Smith Delivered a Stirring Eulogy Showing the Great Work That the Martyred President Had Accomplished.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 4.—The memory of the late President William McKinley was honored by the legislature of the state tonight. The exercises were held in the legislative chambers and were presided over by Gov. Odell. Seated on the platform were United States Senator Platt and the members of the legislative committee which arranged for the exercises. The chamber was appropriately decorated.

The opening prayer was delivered by the Rt. Rev. William Crosswell Doane, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Albany. The choir of All Saints' Protestant Episcopal cathedral rendered the music. Gov. Odell introduced the speaker of the evening, the Hon. Charles Emory Smith, formerly postmaster general, who spoke in part as follows:

Eulogy Pronounced.

Heritage moulds character and character shapes opportunity. The preparation of William McKinley for his great work began long before he was born. It began with a sturdy and rugged ancestry, imbued with high principle and patriotic impulse. He blended the thrift and force and enthusiasm of the Scotch-Irish blood with the strength of the Puritan character.

He was but 17 when the shot at Sumter started the feverish land. To this youth of conscience and patriotic fervor, the call of his country was the sufficient command of duty. He enlisted in the ranks of a regiment whose muster roll answered with the names of two future presidents, one justice of the supreme court and the hero of Chickamauga. Little time passed before his youthful ardor and his constant fidelity had won the confidence and admiration of all. He earned his first promotion by his gallant behavior on the bloodiest of days at Antietam. Even as a boy, as a boy behind the gun, he rose to the rank of major and came out of the war with a rich and stern experience which had knit and strengthened his whole mental and moral fiber.

Elected to Congress.

At the age of 33 he was elected to congress and entered on his extraordinary political career. The house of congress was a forum singularly suited to his powers. It is a field where the faculties are subjected to the severest trial and where merit alone can win. It has an atmosphere and a standard all its own. Its vast hall, its turbulent roar, its intolerance of fustian or of feebleness, its quick and remorseless detection of sham and pretense, all impose a test which nothing but substantial ability can endure. It must be conquered or captivated or gained through its sincere respect.

During the 14 years of his service he steadily grew in influence and rank, and at last became the acknowledged leader and the powerful moulder of policies.

He was chosen governor of Ohio. The McKinley law was overthrown but depression deepened around the whole horizon. Throughout the country the avenging people began to call for the rejected leader. He thus became the presidential candidate. His championship of protection nominated him.

First Act as President.

His first act as president attested the depth of his convictions and his self-reliant judgment. Against all tradition, with the self-confidence of profound earnestness, he assembled congress in extra session; he invoked its exclusive devotion to the single object of its unusual meeting and before the first summer of his administration had passed his faith and measures had started the country on a new development of activity which, widening and extending as it advanced, ushered in the most splendid era of industrial growth and commercial expansion the world has ever seen.

With restored prosperity and business stability thus assured, as the foundation of all effort he was ready for other questions. The long smouldering wrongs of Cuba now bursting into full flame had profoundly stirred the country. The American people could no longer silence obsequence with mere protest. In the midst of this swelling tide of feeling the destruction of a battleship in the harbor of Havana and the loss of 250 brave American sailors inflamed the public temper to white heat. The wave swept over the land, went forth the ominous "Remember the Maine." Everywhere, in congress and in the country, the cry was for war.

Trying Days for Chief Magistrate.

No one who did not see the president at close hand during those stormy and trying days could measure the greatness of his spirit or the courage of his purpose. The country does not yet know the full extent of the effort he made to save Cuba and at the same time avert war. But it was not met with the same ingenuous spirit, events outran every plan, the mighty issues hastened to their deadly grapple, and the war was on.

A hundred days, forever emblazoned with the names of Manila and Santiago, closed the war and placed the republic in a new position before the world. The president then confronted the still more difficult problems of peace. Under the conditions its issues were more completely in his hands than those of war. It was for him to decide the terms of peace, subject to the final ratification of the treaty, and with the reasonable certainty that the terms agreed on by the two governments and formally embodied in the treaty would, unless clearly repugnant to the general sense, be accepted in the end. In the effort of opposing views he had no real guide but his own sure instinct and his own sense of duty.

Duty Was the Real Motive.

In reaching his conclusion there was one controlling force. The one overmastering influence in deciding his course was his profound conviction of duty to the rude peoples whom the course of events had placed in our keeping. He felt that to abandon them under such circumstances would be recreancy to a sacred trust.

His, then, was the authority, the responsibility; his the decision in what was a turning point in American history and a new epoch in the course of civilization. If there had been nothing else this great act alone was sufficient to give him a sure niche in the temple of fame. We do not undertake to pass upon the questions of the future, but whatever may be its course it is certain that the freedom which has spread its glorious light in the Philippine islands can never be dimmed.

The first summer of the president had been given to restoring the financial conditions of prosperity; the second to the war with Spain; the third to the insurrectionary troubles in the Philippines; and the fourth, the year of his campaign for re-election, was absorbed with the sudden and appalling outbreak in China.

Work in China.

Under his guidance the United States proceeded without hesitation and without prevalence, acting with other nations when their policy suited it, asserting its independent judgment when occasion required it, entangling itself with none, and moving with all. In two directions, at least, the United States took the distinct lead. It was foremost in insisting that, despite the furious fighting and the crowded conditions at Pekin, there was no state of war, and thus localizing the conflict. It was no less strenuous in upholding the integrity of the empire and in moderating the terms of settlement. Whatever difference may remain on controverted questions there is universal concurrence that our government handled the Chinese complication in a masterful and faultless manner, and emerged from the arduous ordeal with increased prestige and influence throughout the world.

At last it seemed that for the president a time of tranquility and measurable repose and well-earned enjoyment of his great honors had come. With high hope and exultant joy he had traversed the continent, amid the acclaims of an enthusiastic people.

Faithful to Loving Wife.

There on the further shore, looking out through the golden gate on the great ocean which his work had made an American sea, he was called to his deepest trial as, day after day and night after night, he trod the hazy and mysterious borderland of eternity with the tender companion of his chivalrous and matchless devotion, while the whole nation with bated breath and affectionate sympathy and constant prayer, followed him in his long and loving vigil. Again his cup of joy was filled to overflowing as the frail thread strengthened into the silken cord, and thence forward the sun shone with new radiance for him, as, after the splendor and stress and cloud, it approached the mellow sweetness of promised peace and rest.

He went to Buffalo and amid the brilliant surroundings of its beautiful exposition he made the impressive speech which, in its elevation of spirit, in its clearness of vision and its breadth of statesmanship, is his fit legacy to the American people.

The End in Buffalo.

His fate on the day following this final speech gave it a sanctity commensurate with its significance. If he was great in life he was sublime in death. The cruel shot rang with horror around the world. His county, and all mankind followed the changing aspects with alternations of high hope and of deepest gloom. But through the alternations of fear and subsiding week, whether encouraged by the highest human skill or looking through the open portal to the eternal morn, he and he alone waited with unfaltering spirit, with serene patience and with supreme trust. In that hour he was lifted to his full height. Would you measure his moral grandeur? Dwell upon that final utterance or saddest misconception. "It is God's way. His will, not ours, be done."

If his work was not finished, it was so far advanced and so well marked out that it only remains to follow the pathway he blazed. His achievements and his memory are sure and indelible. We lament our personal loss, the republic mourns the president best beloved of all while he lived; but for him history is perfect, and the flawless pages of immortality are opened to be married nevermore.

The closing benediction was pronounced by the Rt. Rev. T. M. A. Burke, Roman Catholic bishop of Albany.

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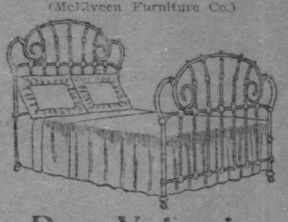

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Women's and Misses' Suits—
In Eton or regular Jacket effects—made of fine Cheviots or Homespuns—in Black, Gray, Brown, etc.—plain style or Norfolk Jacket effect—Taffeta strapped — newest graduated flounce skirt —Should be $8 and $10— go at..... $5

Women's Spring Suits, at $25
Women's very swell new Spring Suits copied from models just received from the most famous Parisian modistes—made of finest imported Cheviots, Broadcloths, Etamines, Canvas Cloths, etc.—most charming fancy Jacket, Eton, Collarless or Shawl effects—tight-fitting or Blouse styles—the entire suit lined with Taffeta Silk or with drop skirt—richly strapped with Taffeta Peau de Soie or Moire Silk or superb tailor-stitched effects—choice for $25.

New Walking Skirts—
Women's New Spring Walking Skirts, with the latest flounce or flare effects—made of Meltons, Cheviots, Thibets or Canvas Cloths, in Black, Blue, Brown or Castor—heavily stitched around bottom or corded—in this sale at..... $3.98

New Spring Dress Skirts—
Women's graceful new Spring Dress Skirts—the newest graduated or ruffled flounce—serpentine or the new clinging styles—made of finest Broadcloth, Cheviot, Canvas Cloth or the new Etamines—Also fine Moire Silk or Peau de Soie Silk Skirts—handsomely trimmed, stitched or strapped with Taffeta or Moire Silk—in this sale at..... $9.98

Women's Wrappers—
Women's regular $1 and $1.50 Wrappers—in Flannelette or heavy Calico—yoke effect—trimmed with washable braid or ruffled—big flounce skirt, with deep hem—in this sale at..... 59c

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200 Women's large size Shoulder Shawls—in knitted or Scotch woven effects—light or dark colors—made to sell for 25c and 50c— go at..... 15c

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Women's Early Spring Silk Shirt Waists—copies of imported Parisian models—made of fine French Taffeta, Peau de Sole, Louisine or the new antique effect Moire Silks—hemstitched, tucked or embroidered effects—Also the latest style Gibson Waists—in all colors, including plain Black and White—go at..... $3.98

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Women's Silk Shirt Waists—made of good quality Taffeta or Satin—stylishly tucked or hemstitched, or trimmed with small buttons—in Black, Blue, Red, Pink, White, Lavender, etc.—should be $3.50—go at..... $1.98

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Women's Spring Jackets—
Women's and Misses' Early Spring Jackets—made of fine medium weight Broadcloth, Cheviot, etc.—Also Taffeta or Moire Silk Jackets — lined throughout with White or Black Satin or Taffeta—in this sale at..... $5

Full Length Coats—
150 Women's and Misses' Long Coats and Raglan Coats—in medium and light weights—for early Spring wear—Also heavy weights—made of All-Wool Covert Cloth or Cheviot—Black or colored—with triple cape effect, Raglan shape or half-fitting— made to sell for $7.50 and $10— go at..... $3.50

250 Women's Jackets—
Made of fine medium or heavy weight Kersey Cheviot—Black, Castor, Tan, Brown, Blue, Red, etc.—trimmed, strapped or heavy tailor-stitched— made to sell for $10, $12, $15 and $20— go at..... $5

Elegant Long Coats—
In the long Raglan or semi-fitting styles—made of fine Taffeta or Peau de Soie Silk—handsomely strapped with Moire or Peau de Soie Silk—also finely stitched—made to sell for $15— go at..... $10

Girls' New Suits—
Girls' and Misses' new Tailor-Made Jacket Suits—(separate skirt and jacket)—Eton or Blouse effect jacket—made of All-Wool Broadcloth, Cheviot or mixed materials—lined throughout—sizes 6 to 14—worth $8.50—go at..... $3.98

Girls' Wash Dresses—
Sizes 4 to 14—neat new patterns in Percales and Lawns—nicely trimmed with washable braid—will sell later on for 75c—go today at..... 39c

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